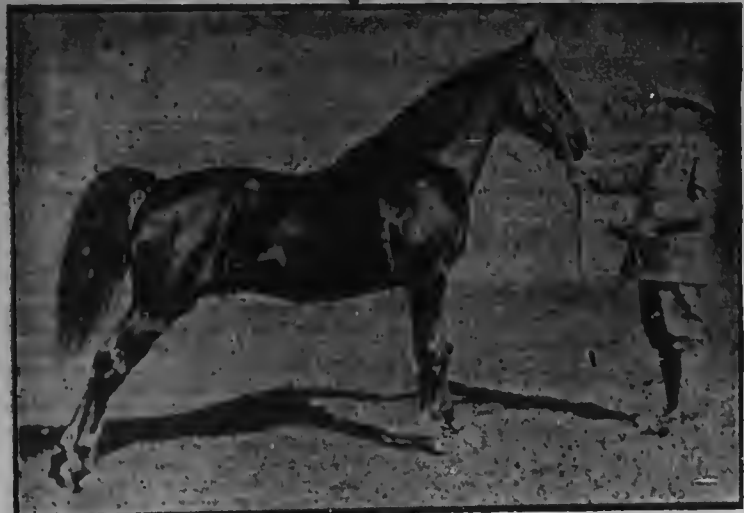


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NEWS OF THE WORLD

FRIDAY.

Reports from Russia indicate the virtual settlement of the differences that have existed between the Government and the Council of Workmen's and Soldiers' Delegates. Another heartening symptom in the publication is that all the army commanders, including Gen. Bursakov and Gurko, who had resigned, have decided to remain at their posts. Gen. Alexiev, the Commander-in-Chief of the armies, announces that he is assured that under the new coalition Government it will be possible to conduct military affairs in a more energetic manner.

Further drastic increases were written into the income surtax schedules of the War Revenue Bill by the House in Committee of the Whole after announcement by Democratic Majority Leader Kitchin that Secretary McAdoo's latest estimate of one-half the cost of the war, which the bill is intended to cover, would be about \$2,245,000,000. Mr. Kitchin announced that no attempt would be made in the House to raise the total to the sum, but he said that the total would be larger than \$1,500,000,000 contemplated in the original measure.

The Senate late yesterday adopted the conference report on the War Army Bill, accepted by the House, and sent the measure to the President for his signature. The vote was 55 to 8. Those voting against adoption were Senators Gore, Gronna, Hardwick, Kirby, La Follette, Norris, Stone and Trammell. Senator Fall was excused from voting. Secretary Baker disclosed that it is not expected to call out the first 500,000 men before September 1 because of "the depleted state of our supplies."

Lloyd George's proposal for Home Rule for Ireland was refused yesterday by John Redmond, in behalf of the Nationalist party, but the alternative of a convention of Irishmen to settle the matter was approved. It is expected that the Unionists will take similar action.

Complete plans for raising 25,000 men at each of the thirty-two divisional concentration camps in which the war army is to be trained have been worked out by War Department officials and construction work will be undertaken as soon as commanders of the military department have designated the camps.

After days of heavy fighting the British have captured Bullecourt and now menace the Doucoult-Queant line. Attacks by the Crown Prince's army near Salsbourg have been repulsed and the Italians continue their offensive.

A tremendous campaign will be waged in the next twenty-seven days to make sure that the Liberty Loan is oversubscribed. Contrary to popular opinion, the issue has not been completed, and the appeal of the next month will be to the small investor.

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Whisky and tobacco occupied the attention of the House yesterday. Efforts to amend taxes on these articles in the War Revenue Bill, participated in by the Kentucky delegation, failed, and it is probable that further efforts will be made for relief in the Senate.

Compulsory military service on a selective basis to raise immediately at least 50,000 and probably 100,000 men to make good the wastage in the Canadian army corps in France was proposed to Parliament by Sir Robert Borden, the Premier, who returned from England Tuesday.

Proposed expenditure of \$750,000,000 for merchant ships engrossed the Senate yesterday when it resumed consideration of the \$3,390,000,000 War Budget Bill. The section will probably be adopted to-day, it is stated.

Two sites for the training camp of the Ninth division of the new army were offered to the Army Board yesterday by Louisville, Lexington, Indianapolis, Evansville and Terre Haute also are in the race.

Fourteen mine sweepers were lost by the British in the Adriatic when attacked by Austrian cruisers, and the Warship Dartmouth, which later attacked the enemy, was torpedoed, but managed to reach port.

Senate and House conferees agreed yesterday on disputed points in the bill increasing the enlisted strength of the navy from 87,000 to 150,000 men and the Marine Corps from 17,000 to 30,000.

Announcement was made by the British Admiralty that the British transport Cameronia had been torpedoed 110 nautical miles from April 15 with the loss of 140 lives.

The part America is to play in the economic participation in the war was agreed upon, subject to congressional action, at a final conference yesterday with Foreign Secretary Balfour.

Committees of employers and labor representatives are to be named in twenty-two cities, including Louisville to mediate all labor disputes during the war.

Many coal operators own local retail yards and thus control the price of coal, according to testimony given yesterday before the Jefferson county grand jury.

Taking of testimony was completed yesterday in the trial of Capt. Franz Rintelen and six others charged with having tried to disrupt the munitions traffic.

Mat S. Cohen, Commissioner of Agriculture, announced last night that he would not permit betting on the races at the Kentucky State Fair.

Against the combined British and Italian fire the Austrians have failed in attempts to recapture lost ground between Gorizia and Tolmino.

MONDAY

Four men were killed and eleven injured, several of them probably fatally, when a turbine engine exploded at the Bessemer plant of the Republic Iron & Steel Company. Officers, who have started an investigation, say they are unable to assign a reason for the accident. A majority of the injured were American box workers.

Col. Roosevelt announced last night that he had volunteered to serve with him under the American flag in France had been absolved from all further connection with the matter and that the only course open to them now is to enter military service to serve their country if they are able to do so, and if not to serve the country in civil life.

Capt. Franz Rintelen, of the German navy; David Lamar and Harry E. Martin were found guilty last night in New York by a jury in the Federal Court on charge of having conspired to disrupt the munitions traffic between the United States and Entente Allies. The jury disagreed as to the four other defendants.

Lawrence Dempsey, negro, was lynched at Fulton, Ky., early Sunday morning. The negro was taken from the city jail, where he was held on a charge of severely cutting Clarence Dublin, an Illinois Central watchman, who is in a serious condition in a hospital. Dempsey was hanged in the rear of the jail.

The British troops are giving the Germans no rest and, following the capture of Bullecourt, have attacked the Germans north of that place to straighten their line. According to Berlin the British have attacked also along the fifteen-mile Drocourt-Queant front.

Announcement is made by the French Admiralty of the sinking in the Mediterranean April 30 by a German submarine of the French steamer Colbert, which had on board French troops and passengers. Fifty-one persons of the ship's company were lost.

The United States Senate to-day will begin consideration of food legislation, while the House proceeds with the \$1,800,000,000 war tax measure. During the week final enactment of the War Budget Bill, carrying more than \$3,000,000,000, is expected.

The present conference at great headquarters, attended by German, Austrian and Bavarian leaders, including Emperor William and the King of Bavaria, is said to be considering the boundaries of free Poland and the request to be named.

News that three Swedish steamers laden with grain from England had been sunk by German submarines, caused much indignation in Stockholm. One paper declares that sympathy for Germany went down with the provisions of Sweden.

Plans of the United States for the next year include the construction of 3,500 machines and the training of between 5,000 and 6,000 aviators, according to announcement yesterday by Howard E. Cullin, of the Aircraft Construction Board.

Hundreds of agencies have promised to co-operate in the campaign for the Liberty Loan bond issue. According to an estimate made by the Controller

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of the Treasury 10,000,000 persons are able financially to subscribe.

France torpedo units have been in an engagement with a German flotilla which was forced to retreat hastily to its base. One of the Frenchboats was damaged, but all of them safely made port.

Services of famous athletes will be used by the Government to keep the soldiers in the training camps in good condition and to instruct them in games to be inaugurated as relaxation.

Robert S. Lovett, chairman of the board of the Union Pacific railroad, has volunteered the whole of his time during the war to any work to which he might be assigned by the Red Cross.

On his way from church to his home Lafayette Kitchen, a farmer, was shot to death near Grayson, Ky., last Saturday night. Eight men are under arrest, charged with the crime.

Dr. Weizmann, president of the English Zionist Federation, yesterday stated that he considered the American movement for a republic in Palestine premature.

TUESDAY

Several square miles of residential section in Northeastern Atlanta was swept by fire late yesterday afternoon. Many fine residences were destroyed, the flames getting beyond the control of the fire department and raging over a great section without hindrance. Thousands are homeless. The loss was estimated at between \$2,000,000 and \$3,000,000. One woman died from shock. The fire at no point was nearer than seven blocks to Peachtree street, the main thoroughfare of the city.

Food legislation was temporarily laid aside by the Senate after several hours' debate yesterday and the first bill, providing for a food survey, the licensing of dealers and steps to prevent hoarding, was sent back to the Agriculture Committee for redrafting to include several amendments. Quick action on legislation to stimulate production is expected.

Two sharp contests during consideration of the War Revenue Bill in the House resulted in Southern members killing a proposed tax of \$250 a bale on raw cotton and Representative life of the automobile manufacturing districts limiting the 5 per cent. levy on automobiles, motorcycles and tires to plants paying annual profits above \$5,000 and 8 per cent.

Government regulation of the coal industry, including the fixing of prices was proposed by the Federal Trade Commission in a report to Congress yesterday charging producers and brokers with exacting exorbitant profits and blaming the present shortage at points of consumption to inadequate transportation facilities.

FREE FROM PAIN

And No Longer Nervous, Since Taking Cardui, Says Georgia Lady.

Trenton, Ga.—Mrs. Ellie Gillford, of this place, writes: "I have always suffered . . . was worse after marriage. I would have . . . pains and misery in my stomach and hips. I would have a bad sick headache every time, which would generally last two days. I had always heard what a good medicine Cardui was, so I thought I would try it. I used two bottles and it helped me."

Fifteen months later I began to be nervous and was worse at night. . . . But at these times I did not have any pain and did not now suffer any pain. But I was very nervous, so nervous that my hands would shake. So I took two more bottles of Cardui. I have never been nervous since . . . and do not have any pain. I think this is all due to Cardui and Black-Draught."

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All naval vessels authorized by Congress have been contracted for except three dreadnoughts and a few minor auxiliary craft. Secretary Daniels announced. Twenty-four eagling tugs to be used as towboats and mine sweepers have been added to the vessels ordered by the Government.

President Wilson called upon Foreign Secretary Balfour yesterday to go over further negotiations between the two Governments. Shipping and finances were discussed between the British representative and Chairman Denman, Gen. Goethals and J. P. Morgan.

It was announced by Premier Lloyd George in the House of Commons yesterday that the Government proposed to summon immediately in Ireland a convention to submit a Constitution for the future government of Ireland.

The Italian War Commission, headed by Prince Udine, first cousin of King Victor Emmanuel will arrive in Washington to-day. The safe landing of the commission was announced by the State Department.

Nine persons are under arrest in Texas in connection with an alleged conspiracy to make armed resistance to enforcement of the selective army draft.

It is claimed that Simon Lake has invented a submarine that is "a perfect answer to the German U-boat terror."

Fire at Lexington yesterday did damage estimate at \$500,000. It started in a livery stable.

GARDEN PROVERBS.

A garden without work is as a fish without water; it bringeth forth no good thing.

Honest is the man who tends well his garden, for greatly will it produce and many-fold repay him.

The growing tomato given a stake will lean thereon and bear the more abundantly.

Behold the humble potato. He boasteth not, neither showeth himself above ground. Yet his presence in abundance putteth the high cost of living to rout.

The bean and the beet come early and stay late.

God is the vegetable for summer, but forget not the one for winter. The can is much puffed up and vaunteth himself to high price. But his vanity affecteth not that which requirith him not.

The sun ripeneth the fruit to luscious sweetness in the shade of its own tree, and then drieth it to perfection on its own roof.

Blessed is he who soweth his own food, and doubly blessed when he hath it to sell also.

OSIE

Mrs. Lora Burton (nee Little) is dangerously ill with typhoid. She is not expected to live. Her husband, Roy Burton has been called from Midland, Ia. where he has employment.

Willie Hughes and Clyde Jobe are working at Chaney, W. Va.

Mrs. Edna Criss (nee Jobe) is visiting her uncle last Jobe on Catt.

Emory E. Wheeler was in Hicksville in interest of Inter-Southern Life Insurance Company one day last week.

Last week one merchant here shipped 361 doz. eggs and a number of chickens this is a new record for one week.

Uncle "Bib" Berfield had the misfortune to fall and break his arm one day last week.

LATE—Mrs. Lora Burton died Saturday. She was laid to rest in a cemetery back of Mrs. C. Burton's. Sunday afternoon.

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50c lb. cash, 45c in groceries. Clipped from sheep, no burs, tub washed 55c to 58c, cash prices. 1917 spring broilers 35c, 2 lb. and over. Veal calf hides, 13 lbs. and under, 29c. Horse hides high market. Big Ohio horse hide \$7.50, Ky. No. 1, \$4.50, No. 2, \$3.25 pony \$2.25. Want all kind herbs roots and barks brought to Haines, Ky. Slippery elm, outside bark off, 5c lb. May-apple root 3c lb., wild ginger, yellow root \$4.00 lb., 25c oz., wild ginger, 40c oz., \$6.40 lb., boxwax 25c lb., wild cherry bark old rubbers boots and shoes, pile them up. We run wagons, 50 per week, on trips out after produce. Like heroes no one gets in the way. All sugar you want at 10c. No. 4, 10c. We sell one thousand dollars every 15 days.

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Ada Mae Clay was calling on Goldie Fannin Sunday afternoon.

Steve Queen spent Sunday with his niece, Mrs. L. C. Fannin.

Miss Goldie Deane, who are glad to say, was back at Sunday school Sunday. She has just recovered from a severe case of measles.

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WEST VIRGINIA MAN
WOUNDED IN WARTHRILLING LETTER OF EXPERIENCE
OF BARBORSVILLE MAN IN
FRANCE.

Investigation Herald Dispatch.—In the beginning of the present great struggle it was often said that the glory had gone out of warfare; that it was all machinery and science but the years have crawled onward thousands of individual exploits have been brought to light which have served to prove that there will always be room for the exploitation of human qualities in any circumstances in which men participate, or women either, for that matter. Possibly it will not be long before the exploits of the individual members of the American expeditionary forces in France will be featured in the daily news reviews. Already there is at hand the story of individual conduct on the battlefield of Vimy, concerning the participation of Robert G. Wilson, of the Canadian expeditionary forces in the charge on Vimy Ridge. Last week Miss Julia Wilson, of Barboursville, employed in the office of Verus T. Hitter, received a card from England notifying her that her brother, Robert G. Wilson, of Canada, was wounded and in the hospital. Yesterday she received a letter. This letter is a vivid, thrilling account of the fight and contains a modest story of the assistance the wounded Canadian gave to a wounded comrade on the way from the trenches back to the base hospital. He is not dangerously wounded, as it transpires and is awaiting with much interest the coming of the expeditionary forces from his native land. His letter is as follows:

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Dear Sister—
I arrived about ten days ago and am getting on very well. Really it all seems like Sunday over here compared to France. I was wounded in the advance when we took Vimy Ridge on the Tuesday after Easter. It was a great day and all that saved the three more casualties added to an unbelievable number, was a blinding snow storm which came about 5:30 in the evening, shutting off observation. We had taken our objective on Easter Monday and Tuesday evening around to help at some distance on our right, arriving at the jumping off place about 11 a. m. That was to our front line trench. Well, at 12 noon, we climbed over the front wall and lifted the lid off hell—a glorious hell. We fought our way across the shell torn, corpse strewn hill, fighting over the bodies of our own boys who had fallen the day before, and the day that ends and creates a dogged determination. The air was stifling and we were already tired nearly to the limit, but we waded through shell machine gun and rifle fire, and at about 5:30 p. m. gained our objective. There was

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no man power made could have prevented us. We had casualties—1 man a Lewis Machine Gunner and 1 alone of my team arrived over there. I operated the gun until it refused to go, then changed the barrel, the old one being red hot, and still went on cutting them down as they ran, in confusion across the valley—then the snow shut them out of view. We had taken one of their most important strongholds on which the Germans had spent 2-1/2 years. Well, the snow soon passed over and we had consolidated. I had my gun emplacement in good shape and we were ready for any counter that "Fritz" desired to stage. I had hunted through the ammunition pouches of the enemy dead and gathered some explosive shell ammunition which by the way, is the most cruel, inhuman thing used in warfare with these cartridges and one of his rifles I began firing at any target that close to attempt to run back we don't use explosive shell stuff. Germany does, so these belong to him, no one had a better right to them than he, and I simply sent them over. You know after entering the body they explode and the result you can imagine. Well, I had just picked off twelve and had laid the rifle down when one of our wounded officers who had been making a mark in the snow for each one I had stopped, wanted me to make it a better mark by getting another. Just then a ball burst and gave me my ticket in the capitol ship. After telling the wound dressed as well as possible, my right arm was useless, but I managed to get the other one by firing from my left shoulder, then the officer told me jokingly I could be discharged. He was a good boy. They are all good fellows over there. It would be an impossibility to describe the bravery and good fellowship among our troops both men and officers. I then wanted to come back alone, but my captain would not hear of that and went himself to get a man to come over with me, but while he was gone another man was hit in the leg, which tore a great piece of the muscle off, also broke the small bone. We had bandaged him up the best we could, and he wanted to get out, so we started, the two of us, he with two good arms, I with two good legs. He was a stranger to me but wore the same uniform. Well, it was great, my own pad and I went over land, falling into every shell hole and over every object that chose to get in front of us, and if nothing stepped in our path, we would just fall over each other.

Still we stumbled on and finally got to our old front line trench which we had no trouble falling into, but we couldn't fall out on the other side, I could use my friend for a step-ladder, but hadn't the strength to pull him out, and he couldn't climb up over me, so as we were some distance from the line of travel we just came to the conclusion that our was something more than a misadventure, when after some time we saw a man passing on our right when we called to him and when he arrived he turned out to be an engineer officer and helped us out. He lifted us out of the old ditch and gave us each a drink of rum which raised enough steam to complete the trip to our dressing station. Well, I was compelled to leave my partner on a board at our communication track. I had carried him two and one-half miles, starting at 7 p. m. and it was then 1:30 a. m., so you see the going was slow but I sent two men to bring him in when I arrived at the Field Station. I had exceeded human endurance and was a bit tired. The next thing I knew I was on a stretcher coming out and finally landed over here in "Blighty" as we call Old England. Well, since Christmas I have been in seven large engagements and then this advance, never getting a scratch till this last trip. It is only an accident if one gets through the machine gun and shell fire at times. I have had my clothes riddled with machine gun bullets, and six, I have carried placed inside my tunic my little Stars and Stripes. It has two bullet holes in it and has been with me since I started. I am mighty proud to know that Old Glory will fly officially over here, for you know, an American boy's flag, I haven't forgotten although I am proud of being permitted to fight my part of humanity's battle under the good old Union Jack, and with some of the best boys on earth. You will never be able to read this but I can only use my wrist and hand.

Kiss mother for me, and I hope this finds you both in good health. I leave me with full prospects for recovery, and six, when you read what I have written about killing don't think it useless murder, for there is no sin in killing a German. I have seen many things that makes me wonder if we are only different classes of animals after all. You will not understand this, but wait until the true story is told, or half told, then you will partially understand.

Your brother,
BOB.

Break News to Mother
On last Sunday Mrs. J. C. Wilson, invalid mother of the author of the above letter, was struck by the fact that many of her friends remembered and called on her. She told her daughter that she could not understand why it was thus. Her daughter replied that it was because it was Mother's Day. The fact of her son's wound had been kept from her. Yesterday however, Miss Wilson stated that she would tell her the news on her arrival home, having learned that her brother would survive his injuries.

LUKE McLUKE SAYS:

If the mother of six children received a salary equivalent to the work and worry she has, she would get more than the President of a steel corporation.

One morning Father missed some change out of his pocket and thought mother had frisked him during the night, so, while Mother was fixing breakfast downstairs, Father went thru Mother's shabby looking handbag in search of the lost coin. He found a receipted milk bill, an unpaid ice bill, a man of prepared chalk, a chamomile powder bag, two seat coupons ten months old, representing the last time he had taken her to a theater, a button hook, six samples of dress goods, a worn clip, six of Gene Field's "Little Boy Blue," a sample of talcum powder, some hair pins, one of the boy's mittens, an old turtleneck of himself taken before marriage, and six pennies. And father thought so much like a yellow dog that he kicked himself all day."

The Girl
Next DoorA Sketch of Juvenile
Love

By F. A. MITCHEL

Spring is the season of flowers and love, as has been remarked before, it seems, to the present writer. He does not claim originality for the remark. But it is as true now as it was when first made, some centuries ago, and all English and American poets from Chaucer to the present poet laureate have enlarged on the theme.

Why not use it, therefore, to introduce a little tale, or sketch, rather, of a very young man and a very young maid and flowers and love?

Billy Atherton was nearing sixteen—that is, he was at an age when two things monopolized the limited space there was in his undeveloped brain, the first being his clothes, the second a girl. It may seem absurd to put the clothes before the girl, but such is the proper relation. There are a great many girls, but only one wardrobe, for a young man, and he requires that wardrobe to be exactly in vogue.

The first sign Billy showed of approaching manhood was when he was fourteen. Then he displayed marked concern about his neckwear. Later a new complication developed; then the period for long trousers came on. The color of his neckwear must match the color of his socks. Nothing would induce him to wear socks that were not clocked. His favorite shade for his scarf and socks was a brilliant yellow, and were betide the tailor who produced a pair of trousers for him that were not short enough to display seven-eighths of his hosiery!

When Billy was invited to his first formal dance he was confronted with the most important question thus far of his life. Should he wear a swallow-tail or a tuxedo? If a tuxedo, should he wear a white or black vest, a white or black tie? In Billy's time boys of his age were supposed to pass upward and onward in full dress through a tuxedo. So, notwithstanding that he was invited to a formal dance, he must wear a tuxedo.

Consultation with half a dozen other boys of his age soon cleared the way through the vest and tie problems. They were to be both black. But Billy struck a snag on the collar. There was unfortunately a division of opinion. Some of the boys ruled for a standing, some for a turndown collar. Daring the afternoon before the dance Billy was in a fever of suspense whether it should be standing or turndown. Finally the matter was settled by a telephone message from his haberdasher, who, after consulting a periodical giving such fashions, assured Billy that if he wore anything except a turndown collar the bottom would drop out of the universe. That settled the final momentous question as to how Billy should be arrayed on going to his first formal dance.

Since Billy was to enter upon his first love affair during the evening of this dance one would suppose that the apparel of the girl he was to fall in love with should be also described. Betty Hinsdale, aged fourteen and ten months, was as much concerned about her party get up as was Billy about his apparel. A dress had been especially prepared for the occasion. But if her costume were to be as minutely described as Billy's has been it would require a woman to do the job. This would involve two persons to write the story. Hence I can only say that when Betty was paraded before her father in her party dress he immediately ordered it lengthened at both ends. This is all the information I can give on the subject.

The appeal of these two young persons being the most important part of this story has necessitated its being introduced in the beginning. It is now due if we are to mention a certain spring day when Billy had put on his baseball suit and was in his back yard sunning himself, occasionally throwing a ball against the brick wall of his home.

Billy was standing within a few feet of the house examining a tear in the ball he had been tossing when he was surprised at a fine powder settling all over him. He brushed it off, but more settled in its place. He looked up to see whence it came. All he saw was that it had emanated from a window in the house next door.

Billy was puzzled. Nevertheless he suspected that some one was showering him. Bending his head over his ball for awhile, he raised his eyes suddenly and saw the laughing face of a girl at a window. It was drawn in with astonishing rapidity. Billy waited and watched for some time, but there was no reappearance of either the girl or the flour that had whitened him.

He remembered that this was springtime. One morning when Billy was getting himself late for breakfast by a painful indecision as to which cravat out of more than twenty he should wear he cast his eyes aside from the mirror before him—it was very close to a window—and saw a girl planning seeds or roots in the yard next door. He at once divined that she was the maid who had floured him, and he wished for something with which to return the compliment. In the window was a box of plants and the plants were budding. Billy began to throw the buds at the girl who was pretty.

A man would have been surprised at seeing a flower drop near him and would have looked to see where it came from. Not so this young lady. She was conscious of the fact that a young man lived next door. She remembered to have dropped flour on his shoulders and was on the lookout for a response. In fact, she had seen Billy at his window amid a rainbow of cravats. Given a girl in a back yard, a young man at a window, and it is to be supposed that the girl will expect something.

Billy tossed sprigs and flowers, which fell to the girl's right, to her left, before her, behind her, but she paid no attention to them. Then he went to the bathroom, filled a tumbler with water and, returning to his window, sent the contents in a spray on the flower planter. There was just enough of a sprinkling to cause her to fear a douche. She arose from her work and marched into the house. On her way she cast a glance up at Billy and made a "face" at him. Billy in return threw her a kiss from the tips of his fingers.

This time Billy saw enough of the girl to be sure that she was pretty. What else she was he did not know and did not care to know. He had attracted her attention, though he had been obliged to sprinkle her to do so. She had brought the sprinkling on herself by giving him a stage snow-storm, and as for the face she had made at him he did not mind that a bit.

The next day when Billy was going up the steps, getting out his latchkey, who should come out of the front door of the next house but the girl. She passed him with her nose in the air, but she had sorely reached the sidewalk when Billy heard a giggle. He turned and tried to get up his courage to follow and join her, but he had not been introduced to her, and should she scorn him he would never recover from the blow. She had floured him and he had floured her, but this did not constitute an introduction. He would no more dare speak to her without the formal introduction required in social life than he would return to his knickerbockers.

Such was the condition between these two next door neighbors when Billy was invited to his first formal dance. He began to array himself at 6 o'clock for a function that was supposed to begin at half past 8. Much time was required. He put three sets of studs in his shirt before he was satisfied with a set of tiny muscals. He had inserted gold links in his cuffs, and this necessitated a further change, for had he worn mosaic studs with gold sleeve buttons he would expect to be ordered out of the house by the host. The tying of his neckwear was twenty-five minutes. He succeeded in placing it above the collar button, but was in terror lest it slip down.

He was helped by his mother, who stood by him nobly in this critical period of his life, that he would surely be late, and at last he put the flashing touches to his makeup and, going downstairs and out, entered a limousine that had been summoned to transport him to the scene of hoped for conquest. As he was driving away a car stopped next door. He wondered if the girl who lived there was going anywhere.

Billy on reaching his destination spent half an hour in the dressing room. Whether it was for further arrangement of his apparel or a stage fright at appearing at his first function there is no record. Nevertheless he held on to the banister on his way down. He made his bow to the hostess and was at once taken off by a member of the family to be presented to some of the young ladies he did not know.

Those invited were all supposed to be between fifteen and seventeen, though some of the girls had barely turned fourteen. Billy was introduced to several girls in succession and was lauded for a similar purpose before another when he stood stock still. She was the girl next door.

"Miss Betty Hinsdale, this is Mr. Atherton!"
Why all the retiring qualities are attributed to the softer sex it is difficult to explain. Billy, as he expressed it afterward, was taken "flat aback." Miss Hinsdale was as cool as a cucumber. Billy stammered something like "pleasure of a dance," whereupon she threw back her head with all the air of a society belle, at the same time thrusting out a dance card with not a vacancy on it. But Billy soon caught up with her. He erased several names and boldly wrote his own name in their place.

Minute accounts of love affairs may be pleasingly realistic, but they require much space. But it doesn't require much time for a boy of sixteen to fall in love. Billy did the falling like a house painter from a scaffold—very suddenly. But he was a dead man, so far as his heart was concerned, long before the evening was over. He had not only been made acquainted with the girl next door, but had fallen madly in love with her.

The flouting, the flouting and the sprinkling, and all that, were over, and another phase of the affair was begun.

But that phase has been so often portrayed that we will leave these youngsters at the end of the beginning of their affair by merely stating that the love spots were so numerous one would suppose that they were bitter enemies instead of lovers. Billy was at one moment in the clouds, the next in the slough of despair. This up and down condition lasted till he went to college, when he succeeded in getting admitted to the university baseball team, and from this moment he forgot the girl next door. But it is only fair to her to say that before she married she had been changed six times.

BRITISH EXPERT
LAUDS RAILROADS
OF UNITED STATESTells Congress Committee That
They Lead World.

NO GOVERNMENT OWNERSHIP

It Would Mean Political Control and Loss of Efficiency—Declares That Crisis Confronts Country on Account of Transportation Situation—Lowest Freight Rates to Be Found in United States.

Washington, May 14.—That the United States is face to face with a serious crisis in its commercial affairs, due to the conditions by which its transportation system is confronted, was the opinion expressed by W. M. Acworth, England's leading authority on railways, before the Newlands joint committee on interstate commerce at a special session held here to enable the committee to hear his views before his departure for London this week. Two steps are necessary, according to Mr. Acworth, to avert this crisis and to solve the threatening railroad problem confronting the country.

The first is to allow the railroads to charge freight-rates sufficient to meet the great advance in operating expenses which is taking place and to enable them to command the credit necessary to provide the extensions and improvements needed to meet the growing demands of business. The second is to lay away with the multiple and conflicting systems of regulation that now hamper railway operation and to provide one centralized regulatory agency with such local subdivisions as may be necessary.

Higher Rates a Public Necessity.
Mr. Acworth's views on the transportation situation in the United States were expressed in answer to questions by members of the committee, who asked him to apply his knowledge of railway conditions throughout the world and of the experience of other countries with government ownership to the present problem before the United States.

"The fundamental factor in the situation is very simple," said Mr. Acworth. "It lies in the fact that you cannot get three-quarters of a cent's worth of work done for less than three-quarters of a cent, no matter whether the agency performing it is a government or private enterprise. Freight rates must advance when the cost of performing the service advances as it is doing at present, just as the price of bread or meat or any other commodity increases with increased cost of production."

In answer to a question Mr. Acworth said that he thought American freight rates had been at much too low a level for several years past, that they had reached this low point during the period of cutthroat competition among the roads and had since been held there by regulating bodies. Unless relief were afforded to the carriers very promptly, he said, the result would be a tremendous loss to the people of the whole country through insufficiency of transportation facilities.

Weakness of Government Ownership.
On the subject of government ownership of railways Mr. Acworth said:

"It is impossible to obtain satisfactory results on government railways in a democratic state unless the management is cut loose from direct political control. Neither Australia nor any other country with a democratic constitution—perhaps an exception ought to be made of Switzerland—has succeeded in maintaining a permanent severance. In France, in Belgium, in Italy, parliamentary interference never has been abandoned for a moment. The facts show that government interference has meant ruining the railways not for the benefit of the people at large, but to satisfy local and sectional and even personal interests."

Prussia, Mr. Acworth said, was the best example of an efficient government railway system, and he pointed out that military considerations were treated as of paramount importance in the Prussian railway system. While American freight rates had been reduced nearly 40 per cent in thirty years, rates in Prussia were nearly as high as at the beginning of the period. While the charge for moving a ton of freight one mile in the United States was a trifle over three-quarters of a cent, the rate in Prussia was 1.41 cents.

As illustrating the difference in rates between government and private roads Mr. Acworth compared the railways of New South Wales, Australia, with those of Texas. While the amount of traffic to each mile of line was about the same in both cases, he pointed out, the Texas railways performed for the public four times as much service as the government owned roads of New South Wales. The charge in Texas for hauling a ton of freight one mile was less than 1 cent, while in the Australian state it was well over 2 cents. "American railways lead the world," said Mr. Acworth. "Nowadays when men in any other part of the world want to know how to run a railway they come to the United States and study your railways here. The American railways are entirely the result of private enterprise, and I think they go a long way toward proving the case against government ownership."



My Sunday Skool teacher sez Lot wuz warned to take his wife an' daughter an' flee out of Sodom an' he got mad when I asked if the flea was the same as dogs have now.

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The whitest white is Chieftain Pure White—a thin coating cleans and whitens white shoes thoroughly, dries quickly—does not discolor, nor cake, nor crack.

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NORIS.
Millon Austin of Indiana, was visiting his grandfather, uncle George Pack of this place Saturday.

Rev. G. V. Pack was on our creek one day last week.

J. V. O'Brien and children were visiting relatives at Gallup Saturday.

Leo Judd and wife were visiting his father Saturday and Sunday.

The Singer Sewing Machine agent, Mr. Pack, was in our neighborhood one day last week.

Gypsy Pack was the guest of Mrs. Mary Judd Friday.

Mr. Marion France made a business trip to Charley Saturday.

Charley Moore is farming for Mrs. Lucy Kitchen this year.

Mrs. Corlida Pack and Mrs. Mando Pack were visiting Aunt Betty France Sunday.

A very large crowd attended the burial of Mrs. Susie Miller, who departed this life May 13th. She had five children who had gone on before and were waiting for her on the sunny banks of sweet deliverance. She leaves a husband and two children behind.

Several attended church at Meads Branch from this place Sunday.

Most everybody here is about done planting corn.

Mrs. Dicie Estep and brother Marlow visited their sister of near Adams Sunday.

Mrs. Belle Thompson sold a fine lot of chickens to our huckster, Mr. Dow Spencer last Saturday.

Mrs. Ella Thompson was visiting her daughter, Mrs. M. A. Pack, the first of the week.

GOOD NIGHT

WONDERFUL STUFF
LIFT OUT YOUR CORNS

Apply a few drops then lift corns & callouses off with fingers—no pain.

No humming! Any corn, whether hard, soft or between the toes, will loosen right up and lift out, without a particle of pain or soreness.

This drug is called freezone and is a compound of ether discovered by a Cincinnati man.

Ask at any drug store for a small bottle of freezone, which will cost but a trifle, but is sufficient to rid one's feet of every corn or callous.

Put a few drops directly upon any tender, aching corn or callous. Instantly the soreness disappears and shortly the corn or callous will loosen and can be lifted off with the fingers.

This drug freezone doesn't eat out the corns or callouses but shrivels them without even irritating the surrounding skin.

Just think! No pain at all; no soreness or smarting when applying it or afterwards. If your druggist don't have freezone have him order it for you.

MATTIE.

J. M. Walker passed through here last week.

John Martin attended Sunday school at this place Sunday.

Dewey Moore and Jesse Cordle were calling on their best girls at this place Sunday.

Roy Hays made a business trip to Louisville Saturday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. G. V. Ball, Jr., on the 16th, a fine boy.

Vinson Johnson returned to his home in Mayville Friday after spending a few days with his grandparents at this place.

G. V. Ball and wife spent Sunday Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. V. Ball, Jr.

Lula Moore was visiting relatives on Georges creek Sunday.

Died, on the 12th of May, Mr. H. Z. Justice of Ashland. His body was brought here to his old home place for burial.

J. D. Ball made a business trip to Louisville recently.

Dewey Moore returned home from Johnson county Saturday.

MRS. GRUNDY.

BIG SANDY NEWS.

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Friday, May 25, 1917.

Kentucky is expected to buy \$16,000,000 of the new U. S. Liberty Loan bonds.

Liberty Loan Bonds of the first issue of \$2,000,000,000 are to bear date of June 15, 1917, and to run for thirty years, except that the Government reserves the right to pay them fifteen years after date. If this right is not exercised by the Government fifteen years from date, the bonds will run the full thirty years.

These bonds bear interest at 3 1/2 per cent per annum, and the interest is payable semiannually on the fifteenth day of December and the fifteenth day of June in each year. The bonds are non-taxable.

Every American who loves America and is jealous of America's honor should subscribe to the Liberty Loan Bond issue. The real success of the loan is to be more determined by the number of Americans participating in it than by the amount subscribed. The spirit of the Nation is going to be judged abroad especially by our enemies, more by the number of its American men and women who support this bond issue than by the mere amount of money subscribed.

WEBBVILLE.

After the fine rains of last night everything is looking green and beautiful.

E. E. Wheeler was here looking after business Monday.

R. L. and A. H. Walter of Washington were here Sunday on their way to Blaine to visit their father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Walter.

Watt Woods and nephew, Joe Woods Gardner, were to Louisa with Dr. Thompson Monday.

Mrs. Sam Moore and Miss Grace Swetnam came to Webbville after attending the examination in Louisa. Mrs. Nellie Hudgins of Olive Hill, with two granddaughters, are visiting Mrs. L. J. Webb.

BLAINE.

The farmers are all well pleased with the recent rain which was very much needed.

The little son of Dr. H. H. Sparks is very sick at this writing.

Mrs. Julia Evans of Louisa is here visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. F. Osborn.

F. D. Damron of Waterville, W. Va., spent Sunday with home folks.

Mrs. C. R. Holbrook and daughter, Miss Ruth motored to Louisa Saturday to meet her husband.

Prof. Daum of Louisa is here this week getting up a class in music.

O. B. Swetnam of Wilbur was a business visitor here Tuesday.

E. E. Wheeler of Osie was here Wednesday.

Roscoe Walter of Washington, D. C. was here the first of week, visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Walter.

A. J. Mounts is on the sick list.

Quite a number of the girls and boys of this place attended the county examination at Louisa Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sparks of Davisville, were here shopping Tuesday.

Married, May 10, Morris McGuire of this place to Myrtle Rogers of Kalns creek. They are a worthy young couple. We wish them happiness and success through life.

Willie Swetnam of Wilbur, was visiting friends and relatives here Saturday and Sunday.

SNOOKY OOKUMS.

Opportunity.

Said yesterday to tomorrow:
"When I was young like you,
I, too, was fond of boasting
Of all I meant to do.
But while I fell a-dreaming
Along the pleasant way,
Before I scarcely knew it
I found I was today!" F. W. P.

BOY!

Few gladnesses of life can be
So filled with joy as when
In early morn we wake to see
It's only 4 or 5 and we
Can go to sleep again.—EX.

A GOOD FRIEND

A good friend stands by you when in need. Louisa people tell how Doan's Kidney Pills have stood the test. Mrs. Piggy endorsed Doan's over six years ago and again confirms the story. Could you ask for more convincing testimony?

Mrs. Frank Piggy, Water St., Louisa, says: "I suffered for a long time with many distressing symptoms of kidney complaint. The most annoying ailment was severe pain in my back and a dull, bearing-down feeling through my loins. I was weak and languid, constantly tired and had no ambition. My back was in such a bad condition I couldn't stoop without enduring severe pain. I was restless at night and couldn't sleep. Mornings I was just as tired as when I went to bed. I was nervous, too, and suffered from severe dizzy spells. The action of my kidneys was irregular and caused me much annoyance. I felt like giving up, as nothing seemed to help me. I finally took Doan's Kidney Pills and the pains in my back left. The action of my kidneys became normal and the other distressing symptoms were removed."

Mrs. Piggy gave the above statement on March 23, 1910 and on December 4, 1916, she said: "The cure Doan's Kidney Pills made for me is still lasting. I now enjoy the best of health."

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PIKE COUNTY NEWS

IN HOSPITAL.

Mrs. Alice Robinson Brooks, of Mobile, Alabama, underwent an operation in a Huntington hospital last Monday. She is the daughter of Judge Robinson, of this city.

HUNTINGTON VISITOR.

James Hatcher was a business visitor in Huntington Monday.

Attorney C. M. Whitl and wife of Williamson, were here this week combining pleasure and business.

RETURN HOME.

Mrs. W. H. Layne of Prestonsburg, has returned home after spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Auxler during commencement. She was accompanied home by her daughter, Miss Grace, who has been a student of Pikeville college during the past year.

LEAVES FOR VACATION.

Miss Frances Bowles, the very efficient teacher of Domestic Science of Pikeville college, left Tuesday for her vacation.

LEFT FOR ARIZONA.

Mrs. C. A. Dugger and two daughters, Nellie and Marguerite, left Tuesday morning for Phoenix, Arizona, where they will join Mr. Dugger and their son, Dean. Pikeville is very sorry to lose this delightful family from its midst and the good wishes of a host of friends go with them to their new home.

MRS. THORNSBURY DIES.

Mrs. Mary Jane Thornsby, who has been very ill for some time, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Betty Michael, on Division-st., Tuesday evening about six o'clock. Mrs. Thornsby was very old and her death had been expected for some time, but was none the less a severe shock to her family and friends. She was the widow of the late James Madison Thornsby, a Methodist minister of more than ordinary ability, and a sister of Mr. James Stump. She leaves the following children to mourn her loss: J. K. Thornsby, George Thornsby, Mrs. Kate D. Hatcher, Mrs. Betty Michael, Mrs. J. M. Bowling and Miss Kizzie Thornsby, all of Pikeville, and Mrs. W. Robert Fuller of Catlettsburg.

MOVED TO FLORIDA.

Mrs. Chas. Fuller and two children left Sunday morning for Florida where she will join her husband. Mrs. Fuller was accompanied as far as Huntington by her mother, Mrs. J. M. Roberson.

CAMPBELL-DOVE.

The following invitations have been received by a number of Pikeville people:

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Campbell request the honor of your presence at the marriage of their daughter Myrtle to

Mr. Konnett Dove on Wednesday evening, the sixth of June, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen

at eight o'clock
Woodlawn Baptist Church
Accotink, Virginia.

Miss Campbell is a sister of Mrs. M. F. Campbell and has many friends here.

ENTERTAINS CLUB.

Mrs. James Peery was hostess to the Arachne Club on Saturday afternoon. After a delightful afternoon spent in fancy work, delicious sherbet and cake were served. The out of town guests were Miss Vertrice Price of Paintsville and Mrs. Evan Thomas of Cinderella, West Va.

MUSIC CLASS RECITAL.

The following is the program of the graduating recital of the Pikeville college music class which was given by the Presbyterian church on Wednesday evening, May 16:

March.....Verdi
Invocation
March of the Dwarfs.....E. Grieg
Shadow Dance.....MacDowell
Virginia Ruth Greer
Cubans Dance.....Gottschalk
Ruth Greer and Violet Walker
Valse Chromatique.....Goddard
Fifth Nocture.....Leyback
Thelma Violet Walker
Faust.....Charles Gounod
Ruth Greer, Graco Layne, Violet Walker, Lucille Daves.
Prelude.....Rachmaninoff
Air de Ballet-Op 30.....Chaminade
Lucille Campbell Daves.
Hungarian Rhapsody No. 2.....Liszt
Lucille Daves, Grace Layne.
Caprice Espagnol.....Mozskowski
Negro Dance.....Cyril Scott
Elizabeth Grace Layne.
Marche Et Choeur Des Fanfares.....Richard Wagner
Graco Layne, Violet Walker, Lucille Daves, Ruth Greer.
Presentation of Diplomas.
Benediction.
All the numbers on the programme were very difficult, but they were rendered with ease and proficiency by these young ladies, to whom diplomas were presented.

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES.

The commencement exercises of the class of '17, Pikeville college preparatory, were held in the First Presbyterian church on the evening of May 7th. The program of the evening was as follows:

Invocation.
Violin Solo—Prof. Elbert.
A Modern Instrument of Warfare—John Marvin Vost.
Charlotte Bronte—Kathryne Cecil Keel.
Edison's Achievements—Ralph Blake Stallard.
Woman's Place in Our National Crisis—Lucille Campbell Daves.
History of the Drama—Olva June Hatcher.
Song—Members of the Alumni.
Address to the Class—Rev. B. J. Bush.
Presentation of Diplomas and Awarding Prizes.
Benediction.

All of the orations were very good and the address to the class on "The One-Talent Man," given by the Rev. B. J. Bush, of the Second Presbyterian church of Lexington, was one of the best addresses ever given in Pikeville.

The usual prizes were awarded, to Dr. W. C. Condit prize, going to Miss Olva June Hatcher and the Bible prize for the Senior class was also won by Miss Hatcher.

A special prize of \$2.50 in gold, which was offered this year for the best short story from the High School, was awarded to Miss Violet Walker.

The Dr. W. C. Condit prize, which through mistake was not given to any one last year was presented to Miss Ruth Greer, who was a member of the class of '16.

ALUMNI BANQUET.

The annual banquet of the Alumni Association of Pikeville college, was given at the Hotel Jefferson on Thursday night. The honor guests were the Rev. B. J. Bush, of Lexington, and the graduating class of '17, who thus became members of this association.

The elegant three-course banquet was served by the class of 1918, and music was furnished by the Presbyterian Sunday School Orchestra.

Miss Ethel Ruth Francis, President of the association, was toast mistress, and Miss Olva Hatcher responded to the toast to the new members. Mr. T. H. Harman gave a very delightful talk on behalf of the trustees. Mrs. W. P. Call, the incoming president, assured the association of her loyalty and devotion, and the prophecy for the class of '17 was given by Miss Ruth Greer. The principal speeches of the evening were made by Dr. James F. Record, President of Pikeville college, and Rev. Bush, who spoke on "The Need of Heroism."

This was a very delightful occasion and was enjoyed by a number of the Alumni, with the husbands and wives of those who are married, the faculty of the college and the honor guests, including Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Record, Rev. B. J. Bush, Mrs. T. J. Kendrick, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Francis, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Call, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Baals, of Ashland, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Harman, Mr. and Mrs. Linton Trivette, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hatcher, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Ratliff, Mrs. J. R. Crawford, Misses Alice Johnston, Alice Record, Dita Kennedy, Francis Bowles, Mounie May Turner, Lorraine Bowles, Ruth Greer, Mary Morgan, Helen Record, Mary Auxler, Olva Hatcher, Lucille Daves, Kathryn Keel, Ethel Ruth Francis, Meersa, Frank Connolly, E. H. Westlund, Blake Stallard, John Vost, Carl Bevins, H. V. Forsyth.

PERSONALS.

Mrs. Victor E. Bovins went to Frost, Ky., Tuesday morning to spend a few days with her father.

Leaton Biggs left Tuesday morning for Cinderella, W. Va., where he has a position for the summer.

Mr. John Maurice of Vivian, W. Va., and Mr. Wm. Morgan of Welch, were business visitors here Monday.

Mr. R. L. Buskirk of Matewan, W. Va., was here Monday attending court.

Mrs. R. L. Miller and son Jack, returned on Monday night from Cincinnati where Jack's tonsils and adenoids were removed by Dr. Holmes.

Mrs. Evan Thomas of Cinderella, W. Va., and Miss Ethel Ruth Francis spent Sunday with Miss Ruth Davidson in Prestonsburg.

Mr. T. G. Parker spent Sunday in Huntington.

Miss Elizabeth Witten of Holdman, who has been visiting Miss Olva Hatcher, returned to her home Monday.

Dr. H. M. Coleman of Matewan, W. Va., was a business visitor here on Tuesday.

Mr. John Layne, who has been in the Sowards Insurance Agency's office for the past few months, left Sunday for his home in Prestonsburg where he will spend a few days before leaving for Washington, D. C., where he hopes to enter the civil service.

Rev. Mr. J. F. Crawford returned Friday from Tennessee where he has spent the past few weeks.

Mr. W. R. Richmond of Paintsville, is a business visitor here this week.

A Sale of Women's Woolen Coats and Suits ONE-HALF PRICE

The season's newest and most fashionable models in smart spring apparel given to you at one-half their regular value—the range of sizes is still very good—all in the spring's newest shades—just the coat or suit you have been looking for.

Can You Afford to Miss this Opportunity?

It is our regular clean-up sale—not coats and suits bought cheap to sell cheap, but the ANDERSON-NEWCOMB kind—apparel of quality in—

\$10 to \$50 values now One-Half Price

The children's coats have been reduced to

ONE-HALF PRICE

Our entire showing of children's coats in silk and wool, comprising all the newest color effects in the season's most favored materials.

Sizes 2 to 14 years, \$5 to \$10 value NOW ONE-HALF PRICE

The Anderson-Newcomb Co.

On Third Avenue

Huntington, W. Va.

NORIS.

Mrs. Bert Childers and children were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Newcomb Saturday night.

Misses Claude and Zora Judd were visiting their brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Judd Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Emma and Gertrude Hinkle and Mrs. Ellen Castle attended church here Sunday.

Sunday school at the Spencer church every Sunday at nine o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Cordie were on our creek Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dillon Moore were fishing Mr. and Mrs. Bob Thompson Sunday.

Mrs. Scott Martin, of Van Lear is here this week visiting her mother, aunt Mary Thompson, who has been sick for some time, but is some better at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. George Miller were here Saturday and Sunday visiting the latter's father, G. W. Pack.

DOLLY DIMPLE.

AUCTION SALE OF LOTS IN FORT GAY, WEST VA.

Elsewhere will be found an important announcement of an auction sale of lots in Borders Addition at Ft. Gay, which is exactly what that town has needed for a good many years. If lots had heretofore been available there, quite a good deal of building activity would have undoubtedly resulted. Ft. Gay, the twin sister of Louisa, is destined to play no small part in the activities surrounding her, and we are glad to see her starting off right. The sale is in the hands of the Bowman Realty Co., the well known and successful operators at Huntington, and will be held Saturday, June 2nd.

Residents of Fort Gay have the advantage of being within easy reach of Louisa's High School and College.

Dr. T. D. Burgess became very sick last Friday and is yet confined to his room, although now considerably improved.

Go After Business

In a business way—the advertising way. An ad in this paper offers the maximum service at the minimum cost. It reaches the people of the town and vicinity you want to reach.

Try It—It Pays

NEW STYLES JUST IN



We have on display in our store, and more coming every few days, the latest styles in millinery goods. Ready-to-wear hats both in Ladies and Children styles. These are 1917 styles only. We also have a competent trimmer who can change or make a hat to your own taste on short notice.

Come and see for your self.

PRICES REASONABLE

New spring dry goods are coming in. All kinds of fine silks, crepe de chine and many other different assortments of fine dress goods. The non Rustable corsets. Fine lace, embroideries, nettings and all kinds of window curtain. Goods from 10c up. Spring and Summer underwear.



American Lady SHOES

SHOES FOR ALL THE FAMILY AT THE OLD PRICE. . SAVE THE DIFFERENCE

We carry a full and fresh line of good things to eat in our grocery department. Bring us your hams, eggs and butter.

A. L. Burton

LOUISA,

KENTUCKY



After it is too Late You Will Regret

That you did not take our advice and buy ahead of your needs. There are no prospects for lower prices on the lines we carry—Dry Goods, Notions, Clothing, Shoes, Ladies Furnishings, Millinery, Trunks, Etc. Prices are still advancing.

W. H. Adams, Louisa, Ky.

BIG SANDY NEWS.

Friday, May 25, 1917.



Sad.

The paper hanger heaved a sigh. I thought he'd surely howl. Said he: "My trade is good, but, my! It drives me to the wall."

—Luke McLuke.

Good Bargains in Floor Rugs at Burton's Store 3-2

Mrs. G. W. Keggs has been very sick for several days.

Call for the Famous Lord Calvert Coffee at A. L. Burtons 3-5

WANTED:—Piano box. State price and address Box 52, Louisa, Ky. 6-5pd.

Marriage license was issued this week to David O. Sublette, 25, and Gypsey Sparks, 31.

Hats! Hats! Ladies and Misses Hats at your own price at Justice's Store.

J. Melvin Talbert, of Red Jacket, W. Va., is in Riverview hospital for treatment.

F. T. D. Wallace, Jr., spent Sunday at the home of his sister, Miss Kate Wallace at "Highland Home."

The Juvenile Missionary Society met with Mrs. F. T. Wallace, Jr., Saturday afternoon.

Mr. J. W. Yates left Tuesday for Ashland where he will spend several days taking medical treatment.

Mrs. Henry Cains was up from Potter on Monday and drove home in her new automobile, purchased from the Snyder agency.

Miss Hannah O'Brien returned Wednesday from a visit of several months to her sister, Mrs. Margaret Bird in Ann Arbor, Mich.

A severe hail and wind storm and heavy rain visited this section on last Tuesday evening and the temperature was very much lower for 24 hours afterward.

RESIDENCE FOR RENT:—4 room house, with bath, water and gas, and desirably located. Apply to A. M. HUGHES, Louisa.

FOR RENT:—Residence on lower Main Cross-st., garden, barn, poultry house. Water in the kitchen and gas throughout the house. 6 rooms and finished attic. Apply to MRS. H.C. SAMMONS. 6-11-31.

W. H. Yancey, 75 years old, father of Miss Jessie O. Yancey, who is superintendent of the Mason county schools died last Saturday night from a complication of diseases. His wife died a few months ago.

Mrs. Dock Jordan, trained nurse is attending Mrs. Derosa Muncy who has been quite sick the past few weeks at her home near Louisa. Mrs. Muncy is the mother of Bascom Muncy of this city.

REPRODUCTION.

By special request, and inasmuch as a misleading idea of the high and instructive character of the drama was formed (on the part of many who did attend the previous productions,) we take extended pleasure in again presenting to the public

"ST. PAUL'S APPEAL TO CAESAR"—A Sacred Drama in Three Acts—

... ..

Please observe the following consensus of opinion—by those "who saw," and "others."

"In all Bible history no character, other than the Savior himself, holds the place of importance and interest to the Christian heart and mind which is held by St. Paul. The life and work of this great Apostle is deserving the careful study of all intelligent people. Some of the most stirring scenes in his life are portrayed interestingly and vividly in Rev. Jemison's religious drama entitled, 'The Appeal to Caesar.' As presented with a large cast of characters and costumes appropriate to the people of that age 'The Appeal to Caesar' is not only entertaining, but also instructive. Any Christian, no matter how familiar with the story of St. Paul, will find that this drama will impress upon his mind incidents which he had failed to remember in the life of the great Apostle to the Gentiles. Old and young all who have opportunity to do so, ought to see this drama."—Prof. Edward M. Kennison.

"It was my good fortune to witness the drama, 'The Appeal to Caesar' presented by local talent, under the auspices of the Methodist Episcopal Church at the Opera House May 11th. It is indeed a fine production, and will, in my judgment, do much good. The way our young people acquit themselves indicates that they are interested in things that are really worth while.—W. H. Fogleong, Pastor M. E. Church, South.

"The entertainment given Friday and Saturday nights at the Masonic Hall was a very creditable affair. About 40 young people took part. Elaborate costumes of the time of Paul were imported for the occasion and added greatly to the effect of the play. 'The Appeal to Caesar.'—Extract from article in Big Sandy News.

Others:—

"Costumes alone well worth the price of admission."

"An instructive entertainment of lasting impressions."

"How can you produce a drama of this type at so low a price of admission?"

"Amazed at talent, elaborateness and the success of the entire program."

"An intensely dramatic sermon."

To Be "Brought Back" and presented at

THE COLLEGE AUDITORIUM JUNE FIRST

A Bigger, Broader, Better Program

Proceeds benefit Prospective Boy Club Organization.

(Your last chance to see this drama)

Spring apparel at Justice's. Coats, suits, one piece dresses, hats, shoes, skirts, waists—a complete line of spring apparel arriving each week.



THE CHUBBY ONE.

Here's an interesting mode for chunky girls. It is put up in a ginger-snap brown pongee adorned with patches of hand embroidery done in ecru silk. The hat is a deep coffee color banded high with grosgrain ribbon.

Remember

That every added subscriber helps to make this paper better for everybody

PERSONAL MENTION

C. B. Ross spent Sunday in Louisa.

Miss Millie Wellman is visiting in Cincinnati.

Mrs. Laura Webb is visiting relatives in the country.

Dr. W. W. Wray was down from Rich ardon on Monday.

Mrs. E. M. Brown visited in Huntington, W. Va., recently.

Miss Alice Smith, of Cincinnati, is visiting Louisa friends.

L. W. Graham, of Cherokee, called at the NEWS office Monday.

G. B. Roberts came down from Welch, W. Va., and spent Sunday.

Carl Watts, of Huntington, W. Va. was a visitor in Louisa Sunday.

Lawrence Dixon was down from Chatteroy, W. Va., over Sunday.

Mrs. Lucy Caldwell and children have gone to Harold to visit relatives.

Dr. G. M. Sturgell, of Ashland, was a visitor in Louisa on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Shannon were visitors in Huntington over Sunday.

Dr. W. T. Atkinson, of Paintsville, was a visitor in Louisa Wednesday.

Mr. Brig Harris, of Callettsburg, was a business visitor in Louisa Tuesday.

Mrs. W. V. Roberts of Cadmus, was a business visitor in Louisa Monday.

Mrs. Jennie Carter, of Irad, was the guest on Monday of Mrs. Billie Riffe.

George Mauger left Tuesday for a visit to relatives in Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Jaa. Norton is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Endicott, at Webb, W. Va.

A. J. Lorr, of Huntington, was a business visitor in Louisa last Thursday.

A. Brockmeyer, of Huntington, was in Louisa Tuesday and left for Pikeville.

Miss Pauline Davis was the guest last Sunday of Miss Marie Roberts at Cadmus.

Jas. Fairchild returned Tuesday to Salyersville, after spending a few days in Louisa.

Miss Laura Belle Miller returned Monday from a visit in Huntington, West Va.

Mrs. Julia Evans has gone to Blaine for a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Chas. F. Osborn.

Dr. Carl Prichard of Huntington, W. Va., was here recently to see Mrs. Victoria Prichard.

A. M. Campbell was down from Wheelwright, Floyd county, over Sunday, with his family.

J. W. M. Stewart, of Ashland, was the guest of his mother, Mrs. C. F. Stewart, last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hensley motored up from Ashland Monday and were guests of Louisa friends.

R. W. Vinson, of Rocky Valley, was the guest Wednesday of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Vinson.

Miss Rebecca Garred, of Gallup, was the guest of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Elam, last Saturday.

Mrs. Orville Smith, of Columbus, O., is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Ward on Lock avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Johnston, of Ashland, has been visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Carey.

Mrs. Mary Holbrook left Saturday for Ashland where she will visit her son, C. M. Holbrook, and family.

Dr. Milton Clayton, who recently enlisted, was the guest a few days of his parents, Judge and Mrs. J. B. Clayton.

Mrs. H. E. Frye and son, John, have returned to Marietta, Ohio, after spending a few weeks in Louisa with Capt. Frye.

Mrs. J. N. Kelly, of Ashland, is spending the summer at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cains at Pottery.

Malcolm Burgess and daughter, Miss Julia, and Lee Garred and daughter, Miss Isadore, were down from Gallup Tuesday.

Dr. G. T. Conley and Bill Conley returned Sunday to Williamson, W. Va., after a visit to their mother, Mrs. Jennie Conley.

Flem McHenry went Tuesday to Lexington where he entered a hospital for treatment. He was accompanied by Augustus Snyder.

Miss Anna Sue Caldwell has returned from Washington, D. C., where she spent several weeks as the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Slomp.

Mrs. W. C. Hunter and son left Sunday for a visit to relatives in Utica, N. Y. Mr. Hunter accompanied them to Coalgrove, Ohio.

Mrs. Hunter and children, of Woodman, moved into the Hays property instead of the Sammons property on lower Main Cross-st.

G. R. Vinson, Cashier of the First National Bank, went to Cincinnati to be present at a meeting of bankers held on Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. J. B. McClure and two sons and daughter, Miss Goodwill, returned Saturday from a visit to her mother, Mrs. Chafin, at Logan, W. Va.

Misses Lottie Hale, Dimple Austin, Lima Adkins, and Mr. Jas. Evans, of Louisa, and Miss Alice Westmoreland and Mr. Ernest McClure of Bluefield, W. Va., spent Sunday at Cliffside.

Mrs. John M. Moore and son Ollie, returned Saturday from a visit to relatives at Charlev. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Lufe Hays and Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Hays in their car.

JAKE IS NOW

at

FORT GAY

New goods arriving daily

Look out

Something will happen soon

G. C. Swetnam, of Wilbur, was in the NEWS office Thursday.

Miss Amanda Yates and Charley Carpenter, of Callettsburg, were in Louisa one day last week.

Miss Victoria Garred returned Wednesday from a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Richard V. Garred in Covington.

Mrs. T. C. Songer came up from Ashland Thursday for a visit to Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Moore.

Mrs. Elizabeth Eldridge, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Muncaster, in Zanesville, Ohio, will return home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Sullivan returned Sunday to Louisa after an absence of several months spent in Ashland, Scioto, Ohio and Huntington.

The daughters of Malcolm Burgess and Lee Garred, who have been attending school here, returned to their homes near Gallup last Sunday.

Augustus Snyder, President of the Louisa National Bank attended a meeting of bankers and editors held on Wednesday in Lexington.

Mrs. C. R. Holbrook and daughter, Rita, motored in from Blaine Saturday to meet Mr. Holbrook, who was returning from a business trip.

Harrison Trent, of Rittman, Ohio, returned to his home Saturday, after a visit to his father, Eli Trent, and other relatives and friends at Fort Gay.

Mrs. Orville Smith returned Tuesday to her home in Columbus, Ohio. Her mother, Mrs. A. J. Ward and Miss Vivian Ward accompanied her for a visit.

Surgeon Milton B. Clayton, U. S. Navy after spending a few days here with his parents, Judge J. B. Clayton and Mrs. Clayton, has gone to Washington where he had been ordered.

Rev. Mr. Howerton, who preached the baccalaureate sermon at Grayson High school is much pleased with that city. He met Mr. Edward Holt Eves, the talented and versatile editor of the East Kentucky Journal, whom he liked very much. Mr. Eves was a former Callettsburg citizen and is now quite a popular resident of Grayson. He is a native of Louisa.

Prominent Ladies Here.

Mrs. James A. Pinson, of Zebulon, and Mrs. E. J. Wilcox, of Wayne, West Va., were here last week and were callers at the home of Mrs. W. H. Flanery.

Mrs. Pinson had been to Williamson and came here with her niece Mrs. Wilcox, who was also a visitor there. Mrs. Pinson was before marriage Miss Sophia Cecil. She was recently bereaved of her husband, who was one of Pike county's wealthy and prominent citizens.

Charged With Stealing Mail Sack.

George L. Jacobs, of Olive Hill, was lodged in jail here yesterday by federal authorities on a charge of stealing a mail sack from a mail coach at that place.

Prominent Visitors.

Hon. J. W. M. Stewart and Hon. Henry Sullivan and wife, of Louisa, spent Sunday as guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Emerick. They went to Louisa on the evening train.

Visiting Here.

Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Fannin and little daughter, Gladys, former prominent resident of this city, but now of St. Petersburg, Fla., are visiting relative in this city and vicinity.

W. H. Flanery is in Pikeville for a few days attending circuit court.

Died in Ironton.

Elmer E. Brubaker, aged 50 years, prominent and much respected citizen of South Point, Ohio, died at an Ironton hospital Monday following an operation. The funeral occurred Wednesday at the home. He was a brother-in-law of Mr. L. G. Chatfield, of this city, having married his sister.

Fine Watch Repairing

ELGIN WATCHES

Keep Time

Fine Repairing

JEWELRY - CLOCKS - SILVERWARE

All work guaranteed to give entire satisfaction.

WE MEAN TO PLEASE THE PUBLIC

Atkins & Vaughan

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LOUISA, KENTUCKY

You Don't Have to Pass Our Place to Get Bargains

Our REDUCTION SALE is Still in Progress. Lay in your supplies now in Clothing, Shoes, Hats, Furnishings

R. BLANKENSHIP

LOUISA, KENTUCKY

Ford

THE UNIVERSAL CAR

Have been built and actually delivered to retail buyers since August 1, 1916. The 32,817—represent the actual number of cars manufactured by us since August 1st, 1916, and delivered by our agents to retail buyers. This unusual fall and winter demand for FORD cars makes it necessary for us to confine the distribution of cars only to those agents who have orders for immediate delivery to retail customers, rather than to permit any agent to stock cars in anticipation of later spring sales.

We are issuing this notice to intending buyers that they may protect themselves against delay or disappointment in securing FORD cars. If, therefore, you are planning to purchase a FORD car, we advise you to place your order and take delivery now.

IMMEDIATE ORDERS WILL HAVE PROMPT ATTENTION.

Delay in buying at this time may cause you to wait several months.

Enter your order to-day for immediate delivery with our authorized FORD agent listed below and don't be disappointed later on.

PRICES:

Runabout \$345, Touring Car, 360, Coupelet \$505
Town Car \$595, Sedan \$545, f. o. b. Detroit.

Augustus Snyder, LOUISA, Ky.

Agent for all of Lawrence county except a small portion on north side, and also agent for Fort Gay district, Wayne county, West Va.

HOME CIRCLE COLUMN

In Unknown Graves.

Who they were none knew;
What they were all know.
So in our minds we will name them
Once more,
So in our hearts we will cover them
Over,
Think of those far-away heroes of
ours,
And cover them over with beautiful
flowers,
When the long years have crept slowly
away,
Even to the dawn of earth's funeral
day;
Then the glad ear of each war-martyr-
ed son
Proudly shall hear the good judgment
"Well done."
Blessings for garlands shall cover
them over—
Parent and husband and brother and
lover,
God will reward these dead heroes of
ours,
And cover them over with beautiful
flowers.

I Would Rather.

I would rather go to the forest, far
away, and build me a little cabin—
build it myself—and dwell it with clay,
and live there with wife and children;
and have a winding path leading down
to the spring where the water bubbles
out, day and night, whispering a poem
to the pebbles, from the heart of the
earth; a little hut with some holly-
hocks at the corner, with their banner-
ed bosoms open to the sun, and a thrush
in the air like a winged joy—I would
rather live there and have some latic

work across the window so that the
sunlight would fall checked on the
in the candle—I would rather live there,
with my soul erect and free, than in a
place of gold and wear a crown of im-
perial power, and feel that I was
suspension's clinging slave, and dare
not speak my honest thought.

Bride And Bridegroom.

Mrs. Henry Ward Beecher penned the
following wise words to the newly
married:
Work together, plan together, select
and furnish the house or room togeth-
er. Be one in all home arrangements.
The less talk of "mine and thine" the
better. We are satisfied that "my
rights" should be erased from the dic-
tionary which governs husband and
wife, and "our rights" substituted. But,
notwithstanding short engagements
and early marriage certainly appear to
be the most certain road to abiding
happiness, there are some cases which
necessitate a long engagement. But it
is full of dangers and uncertainty. Yet,
if each continued faithful, and swerve
not from their plighted vows until the
circumstances which compelled delay
have passed or been overcome, then a
long engagement almost invariably
ends in a very happy marriage. A love
that has not been shaken by long de-
lay, usually involving long absence, is
not built on sand, but on a rock, over-
which floods may sweep and the wind
threaten in vain. If young people are
trained to look upon an engagement as
a solemn contract as binding in God's
sight as marriage, there would be very
little danger. If in early youth, before
education is completed, and some pro-
fession or employment is secured, two
meet and are drawn together, becoming
devotedly attached, then the engage-
ment, even if of necessity it must be

long, is the wisest course. Any sacrifice
is better than to relinquish the first
love. We firmly believe in first love,
given when the heart is young and ten-
der, unstained by too close contact
with the world and its bewitching, be-
guddling attractions. Such love, honest-
ly given and as truly returned, is next
to a mother's love—the safeguard of
young men and maidens. This once ac-
quired, the world may spread out all
her devices ever so skillfully and she
will not break the bond. So, because
the first young love is so sweet, so
strong, and when faithfully nurtured,
so enduring, we say "let it not go" even
if it can be held only by a long engage-
ment.

For The Boys.

You who are men in years, and you,
just entering manhood, stop and con-
sider life as it is. Remember, "action
is the essence of character," good or
bad. This character building is a daily
thing, so consider your ways and weigh
your actions, and build wisely.

What are your aims? Are you striv-
ing to develop yourself, mentally and
morally, so as to have an influence in
your community? Our boys will be
the future men of our country, our
lawmakers, and they should be men
who honor the law; they should be
men of principle, who cannot be cor-
rupted by bribes; who have the moral
courage to do their duty. When a com-
munity lacks such men evil and cor-
ruption predominate. How much the
well-being of a community depends upon
the honest, upright men in it.

Many temptations beset the young,
and they come in contact with evil in-
fluences in every vocation in life. Yet
there is within yourselves, boys, a
counteracting force (if used) that will
enable you to withstand temptations,
and to overcome the evil influences
with which you will surely come in
contact. Hring your reasoning powers
to bear. Argue with yourselves the cor-
tain moral degradation if you continue
in a wrong course. Bring your will
power to bear and keep under the low
appetites and the little mean things
that corrupt any who give way to them.
Have a high standard, choose a right
open path in life. Nothing to hide, noth-
ing to be ashamed of.

Listen to the counsel of your par-
ents. Seek the home nest and its pure
influences. Shun place of vice and
evil in every form. Look carefully over
the record of the past. Are you proud
of it? Are you willing it should be
read out? Are you satisfied with it?
If you can't say yes, let your every
effort be to better your condition.

LICK CREEK.

Sunday school at Mary's chapel every
Sunday afternoon at 2:30.
Mary E. Shannon made a business
trip to Louisa last Thursday.
Eva and Marie Miller entertained a
number of their friends Wednesday evening.

Corde and Cora Pigg were in Bussey-
ville Monday.
Bryan Miller has been making regu-
lar trips to L. E. Pigg's of Bussey-
ville.

Mr. T. H. Howe made a business trip
to Reuben Sunday evening.
Everett Pigg and Bozler Childress
made a trip to Smoky Valley Sunday.
Tom Hammond of F. T. New York
was calling on Marie See Monday.
Harry Roberts was visiting Lick
creek friends Sunday.

Jessie and Virgie Shannon called at
Davies Blackburn's Sunday afternoon.
Dad Triplet called on Margie Miller
Sunday.

T. J. A. M. and W. D. Shannon ate
Sunday dinner with Mary E. Shannon.
Nora Roberts and Pearl Holt passed
up our creek Sunday horseback riding.
There will be an ice cream festival at
Mary's chapel May 25. Proceeds to go
to our preacher. Everybody come. Re-
member the date. WHAT.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

DEMOCRATS

Charles B. Peters
For County Court Clerk.

We are authorized to announce
CHARLES B. PETERS, of Clifford,
Ky., as a candidate for County Court
Clerk of Lawrence-co., subject to the
action of the Democratic party in the
primary election in August, 1917.

William Taylor
For Sheriff.

WM. TAYLOR, of Glenwood, an-
nounces that he will be a candidate for
Sheriff of Lawrence county, subject to
the action of the Democratic party in
the next primary election at which can-
didates for Sheriff are to be nomi-
nated.

J. C. Short
For Jailor.

We are authorized to announce J. C.
SHORT (better known as Tode) for
Jailor of Lawrence-co., subject to the
action of the Democrats in the primary
election of August, 1917. Your support
is solicited.

W. D. Shannon
For Sheriff.

We are authorized to announce W. D.
SHANNON as a candidate for Sheriff
of Lawrence-co., subject to the action
of the Democratic party in the August
1917 primary.
(This is William Shannon, who lives
on Lick creek, four miles from Louisa,
and is the son of former Sheriff Andy
Shannon, deceased.)

Jim Sparks
For County Court Clerk.

We are authorized to announce JIM
SPARKS, of Yatesville, as a candidate
for County Court Clerk of Lawrence-co.
subject to the action of the Democratic
party, in the primary election in Aug-
ust, 1917.

Martin L. Wright
For Assessor.

We are authorized to announce
MARTIN L. WRIGHT, of Gladys, Twin
Branch Precinct, as a candidate for
Assessor of Lawrence-co., subject to
the action of the Democratic party in
the August, 1917 primary.

Thomas Murphy
For Jailor.

We are authorized to announce
THOMAS MURPHY, of Yatesville, for
Jailor of Lawrence-co., subject to the
action of the Democrats in the primary
of August, 1917.

Reiland Hutchison
For Assessor.

We are authorized to announce RO-
LAND HUTCHISON, of Dennis, as a
candidate for Assessor of Lawrence-co.,
subject to the action of the Democratic
party in the August, 1917 primary.

Lem Graham
For Jailor.

We are authorized to announce LEM
GRAHAM, of Cherokee, for Jailor of
Lawrence-co., subject to the action of
the Democrats in the primary election
in August, 1917.

Isaac Adams
For Jailor.

I hereby announce myself a candi-
date for the office of Jailor for Law-
rence-co., subject to the Democratic
primary, August, 1917. ISAAC AD-
AMS, son of Arthur Adams, Cordell,
Ky.

L. E. Wallace
For Surveyor.

We are authorized to announce L. E.
WALLACE as a candidate for County
Surveyor of Lawrence-co., subject to
the action of the Democrats in the
August primary, 1917.

M. A. Hay
For County Clerk.

M. A. HAY announces his candidacy
for Clerk of the Lawrence County
Court, subject to the action of the
Democratic party in the primary elec-
tion of August, 1917.

V. B. Shortridge
For Senator.

We are authorized to announce V. B.
SHORTRIDGE, of Glenwood, Lawrence
county, for the State Senate from the
district composed of Boyd, Elliott,
Greenup and Lawrence counties, sub-
ject to the action of the Democrats in
the primary of August, 1917.

W. M. Fulkerson
For County Attorney.

We are authorized to announce W.
M. FULKERSON as a candidate for
County Attorney, subject to the action
of the Democratic voters in the pri-
mary of August, 1917.

Horace G. Thompson
For County Clerk.

We are authorized to announce Hor-
ace G. Thompson, of Dry Fork pre-
cinct, as a candidate for County Court
Clerk of Lawrence County, subject to
the action of the Democrats in the
primary election of August, 1917.

B. F. Diamond
For Magistrate.

We are authorized to announce B. F.
DIAMOND as a candidate for Magis-
trate in the district composed of Falla
of Blaine and Bear creek precincts,
subject to the action of the Democratic
party in the August primary, 1917.

John H. Thompson
For County Judge.

We are authorized to announce JNO
H. THOMPSON, of Potter, for County
Judge, subject to the action of the Dem-
ocratic party in the August primary,
1917.

REPUBLICANS

Lafe Walter
For County Judge.

We are authorized to announce LAFE
WALTER as candidate for County
Judge of Lawrence county subject to
the action of the Republican party at
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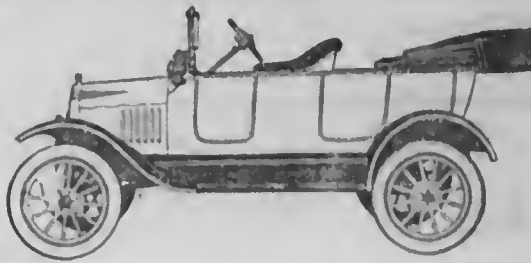
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For County Judge

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P. PRINCE as a candidate for County
Judge of Lawrence-co., subject to the
action of the Republican party in the
August, 1917, primary.

Frank Pigg
For Jailor.

Gentlemen and Voters of Lawrence
County:—I hereby declare myself a
candidate for Jailor of Lawrence-co.,
and most sincerely ask your support
for same at the Republican primary to
be held August 4, 1917. FRANK PIGG,
Louisa, Ky.

Draw Adams
For County Court Clerk.

I hereby announce myself a candi-
date for County Clerk of Lawrence-co.,
subject to the action of the Republican
party at the August primary of 1917.
DREW ADAMS, Cherokee, Ky.

J. P. Williams
For Jailor.

We are authorized to announce J. P.
WILLIAMS as a candidate for Jailor
of Lawrence-co., subject to the action
of the Republican party in the primary
of August, 1917.

David Boggs
For Judge.

I hereby announce myself a candi-
date for Judge of Lawrence-co., sub-
ject to the action of the Republican
party, at the August primary, 1917.
DAVID BOGGS, Cherokee, Ky.

Garfield Roberts
For Jailor.

GARFIELD ROBERTS, of Bussey-
ville, desires to announce that he is a
candidate for Jailor of Lawrence-co.,
subject to the action of the Republi-
can Primary, to be held in August, 1917.

Sam Sturgall
For Jailor.

We are authorized to announce SAM
STURGALL, of Ellen, Ky., for Jailor of
Lawrence-co., subject to the action of
the Republicans in the primary elec-
tion in August, 1917.

J. H. McClure
For County Judge.

We are authorized to announce JOHN
H. MCCLURE as a candidate for County
Judge, subject to the action of the
Republicans of Lawrence-co., at the
primary election of August, 1917.

Bascom Muncy
For Sheriff.

We are authorized to announce BAS-
COM MUNCY, of Louisa, Ky., as a
candidate for Sheriff of Lawrence-co.,
subject to the action of the republican
party in the next primary election at
which candidates for sheriff are to be
nominated.

Dock Green
For County Court Clerk

We are authorized to announce
DOCK GREEN, of Blaine, Ky., as a
candidate for County Court Clerk of
Lawrence-co., subject to the action of
the Republican party in the next pri-
mary at which candidates for County
Court Clerk are to be nominated.

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LOUISA, I-I KENTUCKY

Saturday.
Author Queen was out horse back riding Sunday. TOM DUFF.

MDANIEL HILL.

Singing here largely attended, Lon Belcher teacher.
Sunday School is held here Sunday morning at 9:30.
A large crowd of boys and girls from here attended the picnic at Green Valley Saturday night.

O. J. Towler and family motored to Carter county one day last week.
Marion Scott is on the sick list.
Dr. J. C. Hall, of Estep, passed here Sunday enroute to Tuscola to see Mrs. Bush who is sick.

Damer Kelly was out calling on his best girl at Deep Hole branch Sunday.

George Queen attended the picnic at Green Valley Saturday night.
Fred Vanhorn and Charlie Marcum attended Sunday School here Sunday.

August French, who has been attending the K. N. C. for some time, has returned to his home here.
George Shortridge and Miss Hazle Stewart were Sunday guests of Misses Fannie and Stella Cornwell.

George Rice and Marion Scott were calling on their best girls Sunday.

Church here Sunday evening conducted by Roland Hutchison.

Mrs. and Mrs. Edgar Scott were visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Scott at Tuscola Sunday.

Edgar Rice was calling on Miss Dorlish McDowell Sunday evening.
Jim Vanhorn and Billy Russell attended singing here Friday night.

Charles Neal and Lon Belcher took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. John Belcher Sunday.

There will be church here Sunday afternoon and night by Rev. Kirk. Everybody come and bring some one with you. He is a good talker.

LONGSOME HILL.

After an extensive and somewhat injurious drought we are having a nice refreshing shower at this writing (Tuesday morning) and everybody is lively and in good spirit. All the people here are anxious to be patriotic enough to try to raise a sufficient amount of meat and bread for their own home consumption this year. They say they are tired of the prices as they are and have been paying for these commodities and in fact all the other necessities of life.

The apple crop will be very slim in this immediate neighborhood, but the black berry crop bids fair to be an excellent one.

An entertainment will be given here on next Saturday night (May 26). They will give the play "The Poor Married Man". The play will be given by the young folks and some of the younger married folks. The proceeds will go for the benefit of our preacher.

The two oil wells drilled in last week on the lands of Jack Short and Brynna Flynn are both good wells, at least they produce equal to any other well in the field. The Malatesta well will be complete in a very short time.

John and Dunlap Waldeck were out to see their sister, Mrs. Elizabeth A. Bradley, who has been on the sick list.

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OSIE

Saturday and Sunday is our regular church time at Lower Twins.

The death angle visited the home of Roy Burton and took from him his loving wife. She was a faithful mother and leaves four little children and a host of friends to mourn her loss.

Covey Adams, who has been sick for some time, is no better.

Asked Adams and Reba Adams spent Saturday night with their sister, Mrs. Jettie Kiser, in Louisa.

Mrs. Ceala Hughes has returned to her home at Chauncey, W. Va., and was accompanied as far as Logan by her sister, Mrs. Clara Barnett.

Hattie Berdle and Ivery Jobe attended church at Compton's Sunday night.

Sophia Rice and Julia Roberts, of Louisa spent Sunday with the Carters girls. Also Riley Shannon and Junior Barnett.

Hattie Jobe called on her sister Mrs. Lizzie Adams Friday.

Luther Webb will farm with Elisha Jobe this summer.

Asberry Carter, of Carter county, has been visiting his brother, B. F. Carter, and other friends of this place the past week.

Herman Webb went to Webbville on business Saturday.

Ada Carter will leave soon for Chauncey, W. Va., where she will spend the summer with her sister, Mrs. Celia Hughes.

Ester Kitchen, of Earling, W. Va., is expected to visit her grandparents at this place soon.

Willie and Levi Jobe left last week for Gypsy, W. Va.

Mrs. Kate Jordan is very ill at this writing.

George Newsom was on our creek Sunday.

EAST POINT.

Mrs. Eugene Davis has returned from Cincinnati where she has been under treatment for her health.

Mrs. Margaret Richmond of John's creek visited her many friends and relatives in Blockhouse bottom last week.

A child of George Music on Bear Branch came very nearly being burned to death a few days ago. The same child also came near drowning some time ago.

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OBITUARY.

The sudden death of our dear father, Mansfield Hays, which was the result of heart disease, and occurred at Liver-vue hospital, Louisa, Ky., May 9, 1917, has cast a shadow of sadness over our home. We feel that we have lost one of our best and dearest friends, yet while we feel so sad in our hearts and are so deeply grieved over the loss of this dear one, there is no doubt in our minds that his soul is resting in the paradise of God's eternal love, and, oh! what a glorious thought it is to know that we who live for Jesus will be with our loved one some day, never to part again. He was a constant reader of the Bible and he tried so hard to follow its teachings; in his latter life his mind seemed to be mostly of heaven and spiritual things. Just a short time before his physical weakness became so serious, he said that he realized that his time on earth was short and he said I am prepared and ready to go and when I leave here my company will be mostly little children. Oh! how often I have heard him say he was ready to go and I do believe that he met his God in peace and that to-day he is in that blessed land where the sunlight never dies, singing praises to God with his dear little ones, Mollie and Charlie, who left this land of sorrow many years ago. He was 73 years, 2 months and 12 days old. Oh! how we miss his dear sweet smile and kind voice. His body was laid to rest in the family graveyard Friday morning, May 11th.

MR. AND MRS. J. F. H.

SKAGGS.

Messrs. William Lester and O. J. Skaggs are back to the farm, having been students at Louisa college since last fall.

Meredith Evans, a well known and highly respected farmer died of paralysis at Keaton, Johnson county.

J. C. Skaggs has gone to Louisa with a good lot of produce.

We regret to learn of the death of Mr. Columbus Williams of Redhush. He was a farmer and a good citizen.

John K. Pennington is recovering from the burns he received when he was accidentally scalded near Webbville.

Mrs. Carrie Evans and her children were the guests of her father, Brack Holbrook Sunday.

Rosecoe Miller has gone on a vacation to visit relatives at Ashland, and Portsmouth, Ohio.

Phillip Effe and Conrad Ward

have enlisted in the U. S. army. They are in Texas and they are here too.

Vesta Skaggs is expected to be called to France to do hospital work most any time now. She is a trained nurse and is under contract for hospital work for the government.

Corn is scarce and high, selling at two dollars per bushel lately.

OLD GLORY.

The sight of our flag waving from homes and business places throughout Pittsburgh makes this story by Clark Howell, editor of the Atlanta Constitution, worth repeating.

It was at a naval review off Gibraltar, where all the nations were represented with their greatest battleships. One after another these great ships passed in review. A stranger stood by in the neighborhood of an American seaman, thoroughly familiar with all the different ships and flags. The stranger was not, so he asked the seaman as follows:

"What ship is that?"

"It is the ship of His Majesty the King."

"And this one?" as another giant plowed the waters.

"That is the ship of the German Emperor."

"And what is the flag now flying on the ship just passed?"

"The flag of the Emperor of Austria."

"And," said the seaman, as the next came by, flying the Stars and Stripes, "that is my flag."—Pittsburgh Post.

GROW BUCKWHEAT.

Washington, D. C., May 24.—Buckwheat should be grown in larger quantity this year in New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Michigan, Wisconsin, New England, and in the mountain sections of Maryland, West Virginia, Virginia, Kentucky, North Carolina, and Tennessee, where it is known to be a safe crop. It should be sown on land where other crops have failed and on old meadow and pasture lands where the yields of hay and grass promise to be small. This is the advice given by the United States Department of Agriculture to farmers in all States named.

Buckwheat should be sown on land prepared as for corn. It is an excellent crop to sow where corn or some other crop has been planted but where a stand has not been secured. Best results are obtained where the land is plowed early and is well prepared, but good results can be obtained by sowing immediately after plowing and harrowing.

Uses Of Buckwheat.

Buckwheat is valuable as a human food. It is also an excellent feed for poultry. The middlings remaining as a by-product after milling are, on account of their high protein content, a valuable feed for dairy cows. The production of buckwheat will help to provide food in many districts this year for local consumption and thus help to avoid the danger of shortage due to possible lack of adequate transportation facilities.

KENTUCKY NEIGHBORS

Irvine is to have a new \$10,000 railroad station.

Mrs. Curtis Wellman, aged 22, died after a lingering illness in Catlettsburg.

At a meeting of the Ceredo-Kenova high school alumni held a few days ago Miss Hermia Marcum was re-elected president of the association.

A. D. Wells, deputy collector, and posse from West Virginia, raided a moonshine still in Rowan county and destroyed five gallons of whiskey and a large still and captured J. D. Mank, charged with operating it.

Pikeville Oil and Gas Company, Pikeville: capital \$500; incorporators: W. W. Gray, S. M. Ceell, Linton Trevette, F. T. Hatcher and J. F. Johnson, Jr.

Perry Lumber Company, Lexington: capital \$40,000; incorporators: B. F. Perry, J. T. Perry and K. N. DeHaven.

WEST VIRGINIA

ITEMS OF NEWS.

Martin V. Crigger has been appointed postmaster at Rawl, W. Va.

A bill to grant a pension to James Chaffin, of Crum, W. Va., was introduced in Congress.

Bewly L. Gibson, train dispatcher in Huntington for the electric Railway Co., saw his own son aged three years, killed by a motor truck.

The Kinadom Come Coal company, Bluefield, capital, \$550,000; will operate in Letcher county, Ky.; incorporators: C. B. Bell, M. F. Bell, J. W. Bell, Frank T. Alers and H. G. Phelps, all of Bluefield.

Weldon H. Wells, Kansas City broker who in January murdered Mona Simon, of Philippi, W. Va., in a leading hotel in Columbus, O., was sentenced to life imprisonment in the Ohio penitentiary.

The young man was convicted of second degree murder.

A Farm Loan Association was organized at the county seat in Wayne county, W. Va., recently. Following are the officers and directors: S. Jay Vinson, president; A. P. Booth, vice president; C. W. Ferguson, treasurer and attorney. Directors: G. D. Jackson, L. B. Ferguson, W. B. Smith, W. H. Hunt, A. P. Booth, Victoria Ferguson, H. S. Jackson, Geo. Rigg and O. J. Rife.

Preparations to substitute women for men who will be called to the colors already have been made in Logan, W. Va., by the First National bank, three of whose male employees are expected to leave for training as lieutenants in the United States army.

The three who will enter the army are Raymond Nowlan, J. M. Mills and E. R. Mills. Nowlan and Mills are succeeded by Miss Alma Allen and Miss Luella Bradshaw.

Rey Johnson, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Johnson, died Wednesday night of

last week.

The deceased was born at Whites Creek, Wayne county and went to Huntington with his parents eleven years ago. He was a member of the West Huntington Methodist Episcopal church, school. The parents, one brother, Ray, and one sister, Ruby, high school students, survive.

DOINGS OF JOHNSON COUNTY PEOPLE.

Go-To-Sunday School Day

The various churches of the town enjoyed splendid attendance at Go-to-Sunday School Day, May 6.

Owing to a contest being on between the M. E. Church, South of this place, and the M. E. Church, South of Louisa, Ky., as we understand, considerable interest was manifested as to who would win.

The total attendance in the various Sunday Schools of the town were as follows:

M. E. Church, 218.
M. E. Church, South, 217.
Missionary Baptist, 54.
United Baptist, 35.
Christian, 50.—Post.

The attendance in Louisa at the M. E. Church, South was 238.

John W. Ward, of Faintsville, was admitted to practice before the Interior department, Washington.

Here From Salyersville.

Mrs. M. F. Patrick, of Salyersville, was here this week the guests of relatives and friends. Mrs. Patrick will be remembered by her friends here as Miss Virginia Stratton.

Here From Olive Hill.

Mrs. J. D. Mayo, Jr., and little daughter, Margaret, formerly of Prestonsburg but now live at Olive Hill, Ky., are here this week the guests of relatives.

Boys Entertain Girls.

The boys of the Graduating Class of the Sandy Valley Seminary entertained the young lady graduates of the class at luncheon at the Paradise Tea Room Wednesday night, after the recital at the church.

Return From Inez.

Miss Loretta Cassidy, milliner for the Mrs. Geo. C. Perry Co., has returned from Inez where she was called last week on account of the illness of her sister.

Piano Donated to the M. E. Church.

While in Cincinnati last week, a friend of Rev. J. M. Bennett, donated to him for the use of the M. E. Church here of which he is Pastor, a beautiful Shaff piano. The donor especially requested that it be turned over to the use of the Epworth League and the Kappa Sigma P. The piano arrived and has been placed in the church.

MILITARY VOCABULARY.

Here are a few things to remember when using a military vocabulary:

A "troop" is a recruit.

An officer never "enlists." He is commissioned by the President of the United States. Only private soldiers, including Corporals and Sergeants, can "enlist."

To be "drafted" means to be selected to serve in one of the armed branches of the Federal Government.

To "volunteer" means to go into the service willingly.

"Rank and file" do not mean officers and enlisted men. "Rank" is a row of soldiers and "file" represents a man in the front rank with the man or men directly behind him.

"Squad" is a part of a company.

A Captain commands a company, and he has under him a First Lieutenant and a Second Lieutenant.

A Major commands a battalion, which is made up of four companies. A regiment is commanded by a Colonel, and it comprises three battalions, so that a regiment is made up of twelve companies.

The new army is law abolishes the grade of Brigadier General. Hereafter, under the proposed law, a Colonel will jump directly to Major General.

A General of the army corresponds to an Admiral in the navy. Lieutenant General ranks with Vice Admiral and a Major General with a Rear Admiral.

Since Dowe's death there is no American Admiral, and the United States has no Vice Admirals. Neither is there a General nor Lieutenant General. The Chief of Staff is a Major General.

The titles of Lieutenant General and General, Vice Admiral and Admiral must be especially created by an act of Congress.

President Wilson is Commander-in-Chief of both army and navy, and has the right to take direct command of the fleet or the army. Every President during his term of office stands at the top of both the army and the navy—stands there as the supreme commander.

He can dismiss any officer, however high or low the rank. He appoints all officers.

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HELLIER NEWS

(By HARRY COHEN)

Hellier Folks Farming Abundantly.

Practically everyone is farming in Hellier. Hills that have stood idle for years are being plowed, and sown into potatoes and corn. Front yards are being turned into gardens, vegetables being planted instead of flowers. Great productions are anticipated breaking all records. The high cost of living makes it imperative to turn every bit of available land into producing gardens.

New Show Building

The Star Theatre is erecting a new building instead of remodeling the one they now occupy as planned. The foundation is well under way. This is to be a first class large building that will comfortably seat hundreds of people. A splendid stage will be constructed therein, as well as a balcony.

New Advertising Manager

Claude Jones, youth, has secured a position with the Princess Theatre in capacity of advertising manager.

Scott Has New Position.

Chas. A. Scott, newly wed, formerly with the Marrowbone Mining company, now has a position with the Edgewater Coal Company in capacity of mine foreman.

War Picture in Hellier.

"Fighting For France" is the name of a war picture, taken on the battle field of Europe that was shown to a packed house at the Princess Theatre last Wednesday night. The picture had good features.

Aged Ashcamp Man Dead

John Irwin, age 60, died at his home in Ashcamp last Wednesday at two o'clock after a lingering illness of tuberculosis. His wife, one boy, Barr, 12 years, and five brothers remain to mourn his loss. He was a good citizen and will be missed. We extend our sympathy to the family in their bereavement.

Dr. Gipson in Jenkins.

Dr. A. P. Gipson, Hellier's physician, was at the Jenkins hospital to see one of his patients, last week.

Clyde Burgess Returns Home.

Clyde Burgess, one of Hellier's popular boys, employed at Edgewater, has returned to his home at Richardson for an indefinite period. Clyde got somewhat disabled in an accident occurring in the mines.

Cincinnati Man Here.

Louis Valin, an old time friend of the NEWS reporter, was his pleasant guest on Sunday. Mr. Valin enjoys very much being in the mountains of Kentucky.

Henry Clay and Big Branch

Mines Purchased by Solvay. It has been reported that the Edgewater Coal Company, a subsidiary of the Kentucky Solvay Coke Company,

with branches throughout the United States, have purchased the Henry Clay Coal Company and the Big Branch Coal Company involving a big sum of money. Suffice to say, this will mean quite a boom if Solvay has taken hold.

In Jenkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cohen and daughter, Florence, were up at Jenkins some few days of last week on business.

Edgewater Says Hellier

Isn't Hellier than Ever. The local baseball diamond was the scene Sunday where a hot baseball game was played. In fact it was a hot day, between the Edgewater and Hellier teams. The scoring resulted 11 and 9, in favor of the celebrated players, Hellier. Hellier has won twice in succession. Isn't it remarkable!

A Reminder

Whenever you see Harry Cohen, think of the BIG SANDY NEWS. Better still, when you see him subscribe for the NEWS. 1 year \$1; 3 months 35c. Hellier's live wires take it, and why not you!

Mrs. Wakeland in Huntington

Mrs. Geo. Wakeland and son, also her sister, went to Huntington Monday to consult a specialist in regard to her son's condition. He has suffering from throat trouble.

In Pikeville

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cohen were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Wells in Pikeville Monday.

Carnival in Hellier

Carnival on a special car arrived in Hellier the latter part of last week, and will be here until some time this week. A merry-go-round and a snake show are the special attractions. The carnival is drawing unusually good crowds. It would be better if people would practice thrift during these war times, and try to economize instead of wasting money on mere foolishness.

Greenough Mines Reported as Sold

The mines owned by the Greenough Coal Company, it is said, have been sold to men interested in the Allegheny Coke Company. There was a rumor that they have been under negotiations for some time. There isn't any definite information to the effect that this report is true.

Attending Court

Quite a number of Hellier folks went to Pikeville Monday to attend court. The May term of court convenes May 21st.

Where is Hellier?

To those who have been wondering where Hellier is. Perhaps you have been under the impression that Hellier is at the end of the world. No! Hellier is not on the end of the world, but on the end of the line of the Big Sandy division of the C. & O. railroad, situated in a valley surrounded by mountains in a rich producing coal field. The most important industries worthy of mention is that of the Edgewater Coal company, a branch of the Solvay Coke

company, which is a huge enterprise. Now as it is said they have taken over several other mines it will mean a boom unknown to Hellier folks. Hellier should be proud of having an enterprise like that of the Solvay company.

Hellier Leads Big

Sandy in Recruiting. Hellier is sending out its share of men and boys for service in the United States army. Hellier is showing its patriotism to the United States. Hellier is undoubtedly leading all Big Sandy towns in recruiting. Five Hellier boys left Thursday morning for service in the army. Here are the names of the boys that Hellier folks are proud of, Matt Combs, Glenn Childers, Martin A. Adams, Emil Rowe, Grover C. Woods. Dozens of Hellier boys joined the colors previous to this.

Miss Grace Moore Entertains.

Miss Ruby Chinn, Pikeville, was the pleasant over Sunday guest of Miss Grace Moore, of Hotel Virginia. Miss Moore entertained quite a number of her friends Sunday evening. A delicious salad course was served. A jolly time was reported.

FLOYD COUNTY'S RECORD FOR WEEK.

Visitors From Pikeville.

Mrs. Evan Thomas of Cinderella, W. Va., and Miss Ethel Frances of Pikeville, were the attractive guests of Mrs. Jo M. Davidson on Sunday, returning to Pikeville Sunday evening.

Attend Dance At Martin.

Misses Ethel Stephens, Orlo Gornley, Ruth and Maudie Salisbury attended the dance on Saturday evening at the Stumbo hospital at Martin.

Surprise Party.

On Saturday evening at seven o'clock the stewards and members of the South Methodist church gave a birthday surprise party for Rev. W. L. Rehl. He was greatly surprised indeed to find so many folks in his home on his return from his evening walk. He was showered with many useful gifts of all kinds including many edibles. During the evening Mrs. Steven Meratt of Mt. Sterling delightfully entertained the guests with a few of the old fashioned songs the principal one being "Ten Bolt." Mrs. F. A. Hopkins sang "Magnolia" and Miss Josephine Harkins many of the old favorite songs. After a most enjoyable evening was spent Mrs. Reid served delicious cherry ice cream and angel food cake. Before the party left "America" was sung by all. At a late hour everybody left wishing Rev. Rehl many happy returns of the day.

Return From Pikeville.

Misses Josephine Harkins, Hazel Gardner, Ruth Davidson and Tiny Spradlin returned from Pikeville the latter part of the week after a very pleasant visit with Miss Elizabeth Sowards in Pikeville.

Back From Hospital.

Dr. G. L. Howard, who was operated on for appendicitis a few weeks ago at Johns Hopkins hospital in Baltimore,

returned home Tuesday evening accompanied by J. D. Harkins. Both are much improved in health.

Dance at Airdome.

On Friday evening the young folks gave a dance on the platform at the Airdome. Music was furnished by the piano and victrola. At eleven o'clock sandwiches were served by the young ladies.

Visitors From Olive Hill.

Mrs. Richard Mayo, Jr., and little daughter Margaret, and Miss Olga Stapleton, of Olive Hill, arrived Thursday evening from Paintsville for a visit to A. J. May and family.

Entertain To Dinners.

Mrs. A. J. Davidson entertained to dinner on Monday at six o'clock Mrs. Stephen Meratt of Mt. Sterling and Mr. George Martin of Johnson City, Tenn. Mrs. W. H. Layne delightfully entertained to luncheon on Sunday, Mrs. Meratt of Mt. Sterling and Mrs. G. L. Howard of Maysville.

Mrs. Jo M. Davidson had as her guests on Sunday for dinner Mrs. Ewen Thomas of Cinderella, W. Va., Miss Ethel Ruth Francis of Pikeville, Rev. Ernest Hart of Pikeville and John B. Layne. Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Davidson were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Davidson on Sunday.

Back From Ironton.

Dr. and Mrs. M. J. Leete and son, Martin, Jr., and Miss Bess Leete and Claude Stephens returned Sunday evening from Ironton where they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Jenkins.

Visitor From Tennessee.

Mr. George Martin of Johnson City, Tenn., is here visiting his cousin, Mrs. Joale M. Davidson.

Gone To Washington.

John E. Layne, who has been with the Seward's Insurance Agency at Pikeville for some time, left Thursday for Washington, D. C., where he will be in the naval service. His many friends regret to see him leave, but all are confident he will prove satisfactory in the U. S. service.

Killed By Rolling Stone.

Mrs. Lewis, of Bull creek, a daughter of Sol Derowett was killed by a rolling stone which was dislodged by some men who were getting out ties.

Floyd County Visitors.

Mrs. John Sellards and Miss Bess Shepherd spent Wednesday of last week in Louisa where they went to meet Miss Stella Sellards on her return from school at Danville, Ky.

Locals.

Misses Orlo Gornley, Marion Mayo and Ethel Stephens spent the week-end with Mrs. D. B. Stephens at Ailen.

Mrs. Edith C. Gohle and sons are visiting friends at Garrett.

Mrs. Stephen Meratt has returned to her home at Mt. Sterling after several weeks visit with her daughter, Mrs. N. M. White, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. N. M. White, Jr., and son are visiting Mr. and Mrs. N. M. will appreciate a new school house

Miss Ella Noel White has returned from ten days visit with relatives at Rio Grande, Ohio.

Mrs. James H. Spradlin and children left Thursday for Bowling Green for a visit to Mrs. Spradlin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Davenport.

Russell Huger, representing J. M. McCosh of Huntington was calling on the merchants the early part of the week.

E. H. Sowards, the popular insurance man, was here between trains on Tuesday.

John E. Layne was in Paintsville Monday afternoon.

James Garnett of Hazard is here visiting S. P. Davidson and family.

Miss Emily Brown of Paintsville, is here with the telephone company during the illness of Miss Bessie Shepherd.

Mrs. W. H. Layne, Cora Stephens, Grace Layne and Frank Layne have returned from Pikeville after a few days visit to Mrs. A. E. Anxler.

Don Auxler spent Sunday with his mother in Pikeville.

Oscar Stephens, who is attending the Louisville Medical College, returned home Sunday evening.

Mrs. Louisa Ithrethett is very sick at her home on Third-st.

Mrs. Prince Hereford of Jenkins, is visiting relatives here.

Jake Stapleton of Dwaile, was here recently.

Rev. Ernest Hart of Pikeville, preached at the Presbyterian church on Sunday.

Ed Bull of Fleming was here Monday transacting business.

I. Will See, of Louisa was calling on the merchants here the early part of the week.

Brice Hardy of Catlettsburg was here Monday.

Misses Urban and Brown spent Sunday in Paintsville.

Ed Burke went to Paintsville Monday to look after the laundry business.

Miss Edna Grace May is here from Jenkins visiting her cousin, Olga May.

PLEASANT RIDGE.

We were sorry to hear of the death of Mrs. Roy Burton of Dale, several from here attended the funeral which took place at 2:30 Sunday.

Mrs. J. N. Roberts is very low at this writing. She was not able to be brought home from Ashland.

Miss Lulu Deerfield of Christmas, who has been attending the K. N. C., has returned home. While enroute she visited her sister here Monday and Tuesday.

A severe hail storm swept through here Tuesday evening doing some severe damage to young growing plants.

A much needed rain followed the hail.

Mrs. Alice Frasher, who has been visiting her children at Lanesville, O., is here with her aunt, Mrs. Esther Frasher.

Mrs. M. Nelson is expected home soon from Columbus, O., where she has been for the past two weeks.

Allen Hutchison was calling on the farmers at Smoky Valley Sunday night.

Mrs. Isaac Hale and children of Louisa and Mrs. Jeff McClure, of Huntington, W. Va., were visiting relatives here Saturday and Sunday.

L. E. Wallace and Fred Bradley surveyed the school house site Monday. We

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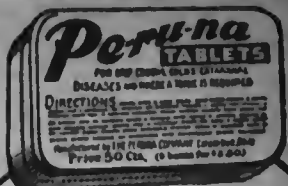
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here. The people of Pleasant Ridge had better get their heads together and

plan to purchase from the county the

roof and floor of the old one and move

it whole out of the way so we will

have somewhere to carry on our Sunday

school.

If anyone wants to see something out

of the ordinary, go to see a pair of

twins, colts, mules, at John Wellman's.

They are a week old and doing well.

Sol May and wife visited his brother,

Dave May and family on Lack

Branch Saturday and Sunday.

Children are more numerous now

than cut worms were in the cornfields

earlier in the season. OLIVIA.

CHEROKEE

Among those who attended the baptiz-

ing of Norton Young son of Mr. Jesse

Young of this place, and after the meet-

ing were invited to take dinner at Bro.

Youngs were David, Rogge, Myrtle

Rogge and children, John Houch, wife

and daughter, Miss Lila, Mrs. Cooper

Joe Sweetnam, Rev. J. C. Johnson, Sam

Houch, Mrs. Felix Adams and sister of

Mr. Young. WILD ROSE.

West Liberty, Ky., May 17.—Respond-

ing to a movement which was given

definite form last week the Fiscal

Court of Morgan county to-day appro-

printed \$200 toward the salary of a

county agent. It is understood that

funds already in sight from private

subscriptions and other money expect-

ed from the National Government as-

sure the complete salary. It is not yet

known who will be called to the place.

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